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DIXON ILLINOIS TUESDAY, JANUARY 11 1916

DIXON DAILY TELEGRAPH—THIRTY SECOND YEAR 8

LARGEST CLOTHING STORE IN STERLING BOUGHT BY BOYTON

M. & K. STORE BECOMES PART OF BOYNTON-BRADLEY-RICHARDS CHAIN.

HAVE FOUR FLOURISHING STORES

Addition of Fine Store in Neighboring City Gives Concern Great Buying Power.

Negotiations that have been under way for the past thirty days were culminated today by the announcement of G. E. Boynton of the clothing firm of Boynton-Richards of this city, that his company had just completed the details of the purchase of the M. & K. clothing store in Sterling. Possession of this new and large addition to the property of the company will be taken this week. The store in Sterling will be known as the Bradley-Boynton Co. store and will be under the active management of S. M. Bradley of Morrison who, until now, has been manager of the Bradley-Boynton store in Morrison. Fred G. Wohnke of Dixon will go to Morrison to take over the management of the Morrison store for the firm.

Sterling's Biggest Store.

The M. & K., which was owned by Mosenfelder & Kohn of Rock Island, has been Sterling's biggest and leading clothing store for the past ten years. It is newly and elegantly equipped and occupies the most desirable store room in the city, the ground floor of the new five story Lawrence building.

This latest business deal puts the Boynton-Richards and Boynton-Bradley Co. in the limelight as an organization that has made mighty strides of progress in the past few years. They now have four flourishing stores situated in Dixon, Amboy, Sterling and Morrison. This situation of course gives them great buying power, which is one of the most important secrets of success in a retailing business, as they can buy in quantities at desirable figures.

Although a great deal is expected of the new Sterling store, and rightly so since this store has a past reputation for big business. Mr. Boynton told a Telegraph man today that he couldn't bring himself to hope that the Dixon store would suffer by comparison in volume and he intended to see that the totals on the Dixon books were not surpassed in Sterling.

HEAVY BEAM FELL ON HIS FOOT

Frank McKinney of North Dixon Injured at Plow Shops.

Frank McKinney of North Dixon, an employe in the wood room at the plow shops, was painfully hurt Monday afternoon while at work, when a heavy beam fell on his foot. None of the bones in the foot were broken, but the injury is of sufficient severity to keep him away from work for some time.

TO CHICAGO FOR OPERATION

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Roe Will Be Treated.

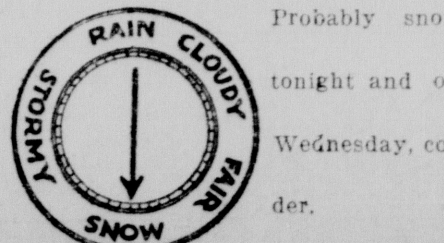
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Roe this morning took their daughter to the Mahanman hospital in Chicago, where tomorrow a mastoid operation will be performed by Dr. Burton Hazeltine, a Chicago specialist, assisted by Dr. Sickels and Dr. Thompson of this city. Miss Zoep of Dixon accompanied them as nurse.

LEGISLATURE MET.

(Associated Press)
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 11.—The legislature met at noon but owing to lack of a quorum both houses were forced to adjourn until 5 p. m. today.

THE WEATHER

Tuesday, Jan. 11, 1916.



Senator Attacked His Party's Record As Being Radical

Democrat Goes After Colleagues in Long Speech This Afternoon

(Associated Press)
Washington, A. J. N. 11.—In the Senate today Senator Newlands, democrat, attacked his party's record. In a long, prepared speech, he criticized the tariff and banking reforms, which have been the chief legislative achievements of the Wilson administration. He declared that the party was in danger of defeat at the next election unless the European war continues and makes the President's "sagacious and firm" handling of foreign affairs the over-shadowing issue. Although he declared the general trend of democratic legislation commendable the senator asserted that the party is too radical.

SAY AUSTRO DIVER SANK PORTO SAID

GERMAN AGENCY SAYS FACT HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED NOW.

AUSTRIAN FORCES ADVANCE

(Associated Press)
The Overseas Agency of Berlin has established the fact that it was an Austrian submarine that sank the Italian liner Porto Said in the Mediterranean last month, causing the death of six passengers. It is asserted that the steamship attempted to ram the submarine and that while the submarine was assisting two wounded persons it was fired upon by a torpedo boat and a yacht.

Austrians Advance.

According to the Montenegrin consul at aris the Austrians in overwhelming numbers have advanced on all fronts and have captured the Montenegrin towns Berane and Louk Rhatz, but suffered enormous losses. On the Mount Lovcen front the battle raged for four days, the Austrians being supported by warships and the forts at Cattaro.

WOULD STRENGTHEN THE GUARD

Chairman of House Committee Has a New Plan for Defense.

(Associated Press)
Washington, Jan. 11.—Plans to strengthen the national guard of the various states instead of establishing a continental army as contemplated by the war department, were proposed to President Wilson today by Chairman Hay of the house military committee. Hay refused to reveal how his suggestion was received by the president, but he said that he was desirous of reaching an agreement with Wilson.

PASTOR RECOMMENDS PICTURE

"Damaged Goods" Film Did Not Arrive As Expected.

Owing to unavoidable delay, the picture, "Damaged Goods" which was to have been exhibited to newspaper men, ministers, school men, city officials and censors, did not arrive in Dixon this afternoon and will not be here until 7:26 this evening and cannot be shown at private exhibition. Rev. Stoddard of the local Baptist church states, however, that he has seen the picture and recommends it to adults and older children. The age limit for the picture which will be shown at the Family theatre tomorrow is placed at eighteen, although the committee which will view the picture at the 10 o'clock show in the morning may reduce the age limit.

OTTUMWA HAD BAD FIRE IN NIGHT

Half Million Dollar Loss Caused By Blaze During Night.

(Associated Press)
Ottumwa, Ia., Jan. 11.—Five stores in the business section of the city were destroyed by fire during the night. Loss, \$500,000.

ARTIFICIAL MOUNTAIN SUN PART OF THE TREATMENT OF WOUNDED GERMAN SOLDIERS.



UP-TO-DATE TREATMENT OF WOUNDED GERMAN SOLDIERS.
Photos by American Press Association.
[On the left of the accompanying illustration is shown the application of artificial mountain sun treatment to convalescing German soldiers at the Mariendorf military hospital near Berlin. The artificial sunlight is generated through a quartz lamp, and the rays are said to possess wonderful healing properties. The illumination of the rays is so powerful that those coming directly in contact with the light wear colored glasses to protect the eyes. On the right of the picture is shown the application of electric treatment to a wounded German soldier with frozen feet at the Siemensstadt military hospital near Berlin.]

COUNCIL APPROVED MARKING LOCATION OF OLD BLOCK HOUSE

COMMITTEE OF D. A. R. GIVEN HEARTY ENCOURAGEMENT BY CITY FATHERS

CITY ENGINEER TO GET FIGURES

Plan To Erect Retaining Wall Along North River Bank And Make Park

A committee of ladies from the Daughters of the American Revolution was present at the meeting of the City council this morning in the interest of a petition presented by the organization to have a retaining wall built along the north bank of the river west of the Galena avenue bridge and to have the bank filled in so that a small plot of ground could be made on which to erect a marker to show where the old historic Block house once stood.

The members of the committee were Mesdames Dorothy Law and Hattie Dodge and they explained what the Daughters of the American Revolution proposed to do. They wished to be able to place markers at various historic points about the city and the first spot they wished to mark was the site of the old Block house used as headquarters for the United States and state troops during the Black Hawk war of 1832. The location of this house, as nearly as can be learned from old settlers, was near the north bank of Rock river, 100 feet west of what is now Galena avenue, there was no road there at the time.

Big Petition

The petition signed by a large number of the members of the Daughters of the American Revolution was presented and read by the clerk and on recommendation of Mayor Henry Schmidt a motion was made by Commissioner Dysart that the matter of building the retaining wall be taken up with City engineer to prepare an estimate on the work and the motion met with the hearty support of the council, all of whom were present with the exception of Commissioner VanBibber, who is out of the city.

A petition was presented, asking that the special assessment against the Barth property on E. First St., for both sewer and pavement be subdivided, as a portion of the property had changed hands. The prayer of the petition was granted.

A petition was presented by Harry Canakis accompanied by the required bond asking that he be granted a permit to erect an electric sign in front of the new restaurant he had recently opened at 108 First street. The request was granted.

LICENSE DTD WED

Daniel D. Leonard, Harmon; Janie Scanlon, same.

OREGON YOUNG MEN IN AUTO ACCIDENT

ALLEGED JOY RIDERS CAME TO GRIEF IN COLLISION HERE MONDAY

HAVE HEARING NEXT MONDAY

A party of four Oregon young men alleged to have been out for a joy ride in a Ford car met with a collision Monday evening about 9:15 o'clock on River street near the machine shop of Dogwiler and Hauser when they crashed into an automobile being driven by Harold Jeanguenat, and as a result of the smash up the Ford car turned completely over and pinned John D. Kelley, who was in the party, underneath the car. The police were notified immediately of the accident and they were soon on the scene and found scattered about the road a number of beer bottles, while it is said the men showed the effects of having had several "friendly drinks."

The men were escorted to the station where they gave the names of Earl Minons, John D. cly, Charles Stone and Charles Moore. Minons was driving the car and they had driven to this city, during the afternoon and were returning home when the accident occurred. Harold Jeanguenat, son of Gus Jeanguenat, residing east of this city, was coming to town to meet his father, who had come out from Chicago on the evening train. As he was nearing the electric plant he noticed the light on an auto coming toward him from the west. He pulled well over to the north side of the road to let the machine pass but the driver of the oncoming car did not pull over far enough and it struck the side of the Jeanguenat car, ripping off the foot board and the rear fender. In the collision one of the front wheels of the Ford car was smashed and this let one side of the machine drop to the pavement, causing it to turn over. Three of the occupants were thrown out and Kelly was pinned under the car. The Ford car was badly damaged, the radiator, fenders and front part being smashed up.

The four Oregon men were this morning arraigned before Justice Grover Gehant, minors to answer to the charge of operating a motor car while in a state of intoxication, and the other three men to the charge of being intoxicated. They secured the services of Attorney John E. Erwin to represent them and a continuance was asked until next Monday morning, Jan. 17 at 10 o'clock. Bonds in the sum of \$200 each were furnished.

FOILED F. O. ROBBERS

(Associated Press)
Algonquin, Ill., Jan. 11.—An explosion of nitro-glycerin which tore the outer door from the safe at the post-office early today aroused the townspeople who rushing to the scene drove three robbers away. The men escaped without booty.

DIXON ELKS HEARD HOW BIG BROTHERS ARE HELPING BOYS

HEAD OF GRAND LODGE COMMITTEE TOLD OF GREAT WORK BEING DONE.

WAS FINE MEETING OF LODGE

Roll Call Brought Out Exceptional Attendance—Fine Banquet Was Served.

The annual roll call meeting of Dixon lodge No. 779, B. P. O. Elks, at the club house on Monday evening, was one of the best, in point of attendance and interest, manifested, held in a long time, about two hundred members responding to roll call. Letters were read from absentees, giving their reason for non-attendance, in compliance with the order of the Grand Lodge. Because of the installation of officers of Dixon post, G. A. R., occurring at the same time, a number of members affiliated with both orders attended the post installation, as but few more such occasions will likely take place.

Following the regular business of the lodge, the members adjourned to the banquet hall in the basement, where an elaborate banquet was served in a most appetizing manner by the house committee and corps of assistants. Attorney Clyde Smith being selected as toastmaster of the evening by Exalted Ruler A. B. Whitcombe, that gentleman, in his remarks introduced the speaker of the evening, John T. Reilly of Hammond, Ind., the head of the Elks' "Big Brother" movement, drifted into a vein of entertaining humor, which was very much enjoyed by the admirers of the worthy Dixon attorney.

Mr. Reilly's address, the feature of the evening, was well worthy of the close attention it drew from everyone present, for, while devoid of tiresome statistics, it dealt in detail with the operations of the movement, both from a legal and social standpoint. Mr. Reilly is an earnest talker, and his heart is wholly wrapped up in his work, which accounts largely for his success in the work he has undertaken. Among the activities of the leaders of the movement, a bill has been drafted for the betterment of the boy's condition, which it is hoped in time will be introduced in every state in the union, and which will be presented to both houses of the Illinois legislature by Representative John P. Devine, a Past Exalted Ruler of Dixon local, with every prospect of its passage.

Among the gems of thought given by Mr. Reilly was this: If every Elk in the United States assumes charge of some boy, upon whom he can bestow the care and guidance of an older experience, whether the lad be an inmate of a penal institution or

Police Courts Had Many Cases Today; Several Are Fined

Drunk And Disorderly People Arraigned—Latakos Discharged

Before Justice Grover Gehant this morning Edward Battles of Amboy was arraigned to answer to the charge of intoxication. Last evening about the supper hour he entered a house on Madison avenue and asked to be served with a steak. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined \$3 and costs. Not having the necessary funds he was sent to the county jail.

Lew Eshelman, a chicken picker from Sterling, while in the city indulged too freely in the flowing bowl. He pleaded guilty to the charge of being drunk and was fined \$3 and costs and being likewise without any money he was sent over to spend a few days with Sheriff Phillips.

In Police Magistrate W. G. Kent's

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MENACE PUBLISHERS FAGED TRIAL TODAY

FOUR MEN MUST ANSWER TO SENDING OBSCENE MATTER THROUGH MAELS.

WERE INDICTED LAST JANUARY

(Associated Press)
Joplin, Mo., Jan. 11.—Wilbur and Bruce M. Phelps, Theodore C. Walker and Marvin Brown, alleged to be connected with the Menace Publishing Co., were placed on trial here today under indictments returned by a federal grand jury Jan. 12, 1915. The indictments, which were in 8 counts, charged generally violation of the U. S. penal code prohibiting "the deposit, or causing to be deposited for mailing or delivery, any obscene, lewd or filthy book, letter, writing, print or other publication of indecent character."

Six counts in the indictment were levelled at items alleged to have been printed in The Menace. The seventh count was levelled at certain passages in a book entitled "The Pope; Chief of White Slavery; High Priest of Intrigue," of which the defendants were charged with being the distributors. The other count charged the sending of information through the mails as to where the book might be obtained.

HIS TERRITORY IS REDUCED

Hereafter John Martinson Will Look After Dixon Yards Only.

John Martinson, who had charge of the car inspection in the Dixon, Nelson and Sterling yards of the C. & N. W. road for a number of years, in the future will look after the inspection in the Dixon yards alone. There is so much repair work to look after in the Nelson yards that one inspector's time is required there most of the time, and Mr. Martinson did not wish to move to Nelson, hence the work was divided. Wm. Keefe, who has been at DeKalb, will now have charge of the inspection work at Nelson and Sterling.

HAMILTON BUYS RESTAURANT

Dixon Man Purchased Eating House at Nelson From Lease.

Frank Lease, formerly of Dixon, Monday sold his restaurant in Nelson to C. W. Hamilton, proprietor of the Excelsior Motorcycle shop of this city, the new proprietor assuming possession at once. Mr. Lease sold out the prosperous Nelson business because of his wife's ill health, and he has consequently formulated no plans for the future.

ADJUDGED INSANE.

In county court this morning Arthur Radfield of Lee Center township was adjudged of unsound mind by a commission of doctors and was taken to the state hospital at Watertown this afternoon by Deputy Schoenholtz for treatment.

SENNEFF INDICTED WITH HAWKINS FOR ALLEGED TIRE THEFT

GRAND JURY HELD SENNEFF FOR RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY.

PETIT JURY WAS EXCUSED TODAY

Settlement and Continuance of Cases Insures Easy Week in Court.

The grand jury completed its labors late Monday afternoon and after making its report was discharged. It returned two true bills, one against Wm. Hawkins, colored, on a charge of larceny, and the other against Hugh Senneff, on the charge of receiving stolen property.

The charges on which the two men were indicted grew out of the theft of automobile tires from the cars of Henry Florio and Reuben Yoder Sunday evening, Dec. 5, the machines having been left in the street near the M. E. church. The tires were located at a garage the following day and it was alleged they had been left there by Hawkins, but he denied ever having seen them. At the preliminary hearing the officers felt that others had knowledge of the theft. The grand jury made a thorough investigation of the matter and the two indictments were returned.

The petit jury was this morning excused for the remainder of the week, to report Monday at 1:30 p. m. The various cases set for trial this week were either settled out of court or continued for the term. Next week nine cases are set for trial but it is likely several will be disposed of before being called, but three or four will be tried. The jury to report for the last two weeks of jury work will have more to do as most of the cases set for that period will be tried.

Bonds At \$300.

Hugh Senneff appeared in court this morning and entered into recognizance in the sum of \$300 bonds to await the calling of the case, and was released from custody. During the morning two decrees for divorce were granted and other chancery matters taken up.

HONOR MAN ESCAPED BUT WAS CAPTURED

SHERIFF'S POSSE GOT LIFE PRISONER IN CHICKEN HOUSE DURING NIGHT.

(Associated Press)

Joliet, Ill., Jan. 11.—Ed Roebbeck, a life prisoner, escaped from the penitentiary here at midnight and with three friends outside commandeered a horse and wagon, with which they drove four miles north where they entered a chicken house. Hearing a noise, Wm. Thompson, owner of the chicken house, went into the yard with a lantern to investigate. The light was shot from his hand, and Thompson returning to the house telephoned the sheriff, who organized a posse. All were captured and Roebbeck was returned to the prison. He was an honor man.

WILL HOLD CAR FOR VETERANS

Last Car From Sterling to Wait For U. S. W. V. Tomorrow.

The members of William Baldwin Camp No. 23, United Spanish War Veterans, have been invited to attend the installation of the newly elected officers of E. Bushnell camp to Sterling Wednesday evening. They will leave this city on the 7 o'clock car on the interurban line tomorrow evening and arrangements have been made to hold the last car returning until about midnight so that all car stay until the work is over. It is expected that a large number will take advantage of this opportunity to attend.

TELEGRAMS TO PROGS

(Associated Press)
Chicago, Jan. 11.—When the Progressive national committee was called to order today telegrams from Roosevelt, Gov. Johnson of California and former Senator Beveridge of Indiana were read. Roosevelt emphasized the need of military preparedness.

Vest Pocket Essays

By GEORGE FITCH
Author of "At Good Old Siwash"
HOTELS.

A hotel is a place where hospitality is dispensed at meter rates. There are



in the United States over 100,000 hotels, some of which are good. Hotels vary greatly in size and severity. In New York and Chicago one may find hotels containing 1,500 rooms apiece, in some of which an awkward guest could not turn around without knocking over \$1,100 worth of bric-a-brac. In Arkansas, on the other hand, there are hotels in which a guest has to pay extra if he doesn't want to sleep with the family and which use the Mississippi river for a bath tub.

An ordinary hotel consists of a desk with a register on it, a collection of rooms furnished luxuriously with windows, doors and beds with sheets on them, a dining room gorgeously decorated with straw colored pompadours and a writing room with a last year's time table on it. The United States is full of such hotels. They only vary in the badness of the meals served. Some of these hotels change cooks every day while others retain the same cook year after year, by allowing her to eat somewhere else.

There are also in this country a fairly large number of old-fashioned

hotels where the family does the cooking and eats it too, right out in the dining room, in public. These hotels have old-fashioned heating stoves and when the guest rises in winter he has to whistle the water out of the pitcher before he can wash his face. But they are eagerly sought by travelers for all that, because of the ease and fluency with which the bill of fare can be consumed and by the comfortable feeling which they leave in the vest and pants pocket regions.

Besides these two varieties there are also modern hotels. These consist of a lobby upholstered in marble, onyx, gold and flunkies and decorated at the rear with a member of some royal family behind a register. The lobby is surmounted by about twenty layers of rooms, each of which rents for the price of a pair of shoes per night, while scattered about on the ground floor are restaurants, in which one may secure a large, well cooked meal with plenty of side dishes for the price of an acre of land in Texas. In fact, it is perfectly easy for a small man with a fair appetite to eat up a whole Texas farm in a week in a New York hotel, especially if he washes it down liberally.

The legislatures of some states are regulating the length of sheets used by some of the hotels. This gives rise to the hope that the clerk may be regulated a little in due time, though no one has had the nerve to tackle the job as yet.

PEOPLES COLUMN

DONALD ALEXANDER

Donald Alexander, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Hayden of Ishpeming, Mich., and nephew of Mrs. Chas. Dey, John K. and Donald F. Hayden of our city,—his father Joe, as we all called him, was a former Dixon boy, at the age of seventeen years held the highest honors in his graduating class of sixty members, and was chosen valedictorian, and like accomplishment was acquired by his grandfather Hayden at one of London, England's celebrated colleges, over eighty years ago. The correct crimson color coats and works—wonders in our wise, wagging, worthy, world. Donald A. proudly possesses a charming character, honest habits and model manners. He is able, active, aggressive and a wishful worker in the cause of the Y. M. C. A. Although not of age, he now holds the prominent position of city editor of the Journal of loyal, lovely Lansing, Mich., the cheerful capital city. It is one of the dignified and distinguished dailies of our splendid sanitary and strenuous sister state. We wish him a superb seat on the sweet, sunshiny summit of sanguine success as he propels his poignant, potent pen of policy in poetry and prose, punctuated in plump, pleasing periods, in truly telling the transpiring tidings to the thousands, and as he paces the pleasant, peaceful, pansy path of promulgating and progressive prosperity, may he procure propitious promotion and all along his journalistic journey, through Time's thrilling, thorny tempestuous trial, may he be prompted by the precious, priceless, princely pearls of prudence, patience and persistent perseverance, reap rich reward in rare, realistic, and ratified results—true trophies and triumphant treasures. Robed in the royal, rosy radiance of right, charmed by coins' contenting, consoling chimes, cheered by conscient crystallized in Christian charity, jeweled in justice, jubilant in jocund joy and gemmed in glittering garlands of genuine, golden glory.—A Subscriber

POLO VS. DIXON

At the Brunswick alleys this evening a match contest will be played between a Polo team and a team picked from this city.

"TIZ" FIXES ACHING, SWOLLEN, SORE FEET

How "Tiz" does comfort tired, burning, calloused feet and corns.

Good-bye, sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, tender feet, tired feet. Good-bye, corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony. "Tiz" is magical, acts right off. "Tiz" draws out all the poisonous exudations which pull up the feet. Use "Tiz" and wear smaller shoes. Use "Tiz" and forget your foot misery. Ah! how comfortable your feet feel. Get a 2-cent box of "Tiz" now at any drugist or department store. Don't suffer. Have good feet, glad feet, feet that never swell, never hurt, never get tired. A year's foot comfort guaranteed or money refunded.

A STRANGE CASE HERE IN ILLINOIS.

Creal Springs, Williamson Co., Ill.—

"My malady was somewhat a curious one, called by my family physician enlargement of the liver. I would suffer from smothering with severe coughing. The attacks would come upon me after I would go to bed or upon rising in the morning, but I am glad to say that after taking five bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery I feel myself completely cured and I recommend this remedy to all. 'I wish you the success you certainly deserve.'—Mrs. S. S. GILL, Creal Springs, Williamson Co., Ill.

It's bad blood that makes your liver sluggish and the same bad blood causes your stomach muscles to lose their elasticity and become flabby and weak and that means indigestion.

Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, purely vegetable and free from alcohol or narcotics, is the great and powerful blood purifier of to-day. It is extracted from American forest roots with pure triple refined glycerine.

Take it as directed and it will stimulate the liver and put it into healthy action and search out impure and poisonous matter throughout the system and eliminate it through the natural channels.

It will furnish you with the kind of blood that increases energy and ambition, that puts the entire body in such perfect physical condition that brain or muscles know no fatigue.

Get Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery from any medicine dealer to-day in either liquid or tablet form.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules.

TWIN DAUGHTERS BORN.

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. George Schreiber of Ashton Saturday. The mother was formerly Miss Catherine Metzler of Dixon.

TO PICK RIFLE TEAM.

After the regular drill of Co. G this evening an indoor rifle team will be started, by which members of a company team to represent Dixon in contests with Sterling and Morrison will be chosen.

ATTEND BROTHER'S FUNERAL.

O. J. Downing Monday received word of the death of his brother, George J. Downing, of Elburn. He and his wife and Mr. and Mrs. George J. Downing went to that place today to attend the funeral.

You are very busy—perhaps you have overlooked having a portrait made. A telephone appointment—a few minutes of your time, in which you are not required to be other than your natural self, and the obligation to family and friends is met. The experience is pleasingly different from what you have imagined.

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NORTH DIXON COAL YARDS

BASE BALL'S FUTURE IS PUT UP TO FANS

HOLDERS OF LEASE ON LINCOLN PARK THREATEN TO WRECK IT.

FINANCIAL HELP IS NEEDED

Some Encouragement Has Been Given—Lessees Offer to Sell Stock.

Baseball in Dixon during the coming season depends entirely upon the public spirited fans who wish to help the lessees of Lincoln park in maintaining the plant. John Vaile, manager of last season's team and one of the lessees of the park, speaking for his partners in the venture, stated emphatically today that unless some financial assistance is given soon the park will be torn down, the lumber sold and the lease on the grounds thrown up.

Several fans among the business men have offered to assist and if enough encouragement is secured the holders of the park will sell stock in sufficient quantity to partially reimburse them for the money they have tied up in the grounds—for the park has not paid one cent since it was erected; in fact, every game last year represented a loss with the exception of the Dixon-Chicago Feds battle.

It is argued that if Dixon is to be in a position to get into the proposed Northern Illinois league, agitation for which has been started in Sterling, Clinton, Ia.; DeKalb, Belvidere and other cities, it must of course have a ball park, and the wrecking of the Lincoln park plant will at once prevent this city being considered as a member of the circuit. It is therefore up to the public spirited fans.

HOBERGS DEFEATED DUIS MONDAY EVE

AFTER FIRST GAME THE LOSERS FELL DOWN BADLY—LOST THE NET TWO.

A good contest was held last evening in the City Bowling league at the Brunswick alleys between Hoberg and Duis teams. In the opening contest but one pin separated the teams. In the next two games the Duis men failed to hit the maples and fell down in their scores. The result of the contests follows:

Hoberg		
Hoberg	150	189 147
Elliott	168	184 194
Vaile	165	144 155
Rosbrook	184	145
Ryan	134	187 163
801 849 \$10		
Duis		
Duis	181	184 184
Kelley	150	138 170
Lievan	170	157 171
Gyllick	175	158 118
Thopson	126	123 131
802 761 774		

AMBOY

Amboy, Jan. 10—The third number of the W. R. C. course, a lecture by Henry Clark was given at the opera house this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. eLe Hemphill, nee Gertrude Schultheis, returned to Amboy Friday evening.

Mrs. Roy Ross who has been ill some time, was removed to the Amboy hospital last Friday night where she submitted to an operation.

The funeral of John B. Edams, who died at his home in Freeport, took place here Friday, with interment at Prairie Repose cemetery.

John Monahan, a former Amboy resident, who for the past 36 years has been an L. C. baggage man, has been retired on pension.

The three-year old son of George Mencke of May, who has been ill of pneumonia, was removed to the home of his aunt, Mrs. Thos. Hagen, of this city last Friday, where an operation on his lungs was performed. He is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Alice Pelker is spending the winter in Biloxi, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Whitman are moving to Webster, S. D., to live on their farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sauer are touring Florida.

Mrs. Tryphena Lyons is ill at the ochele hospital.

The Amboy Woman's club will meet this afternoon at the Freshman room of the high school at 2:30. A program will be given which will be followed by a reception to the teachers.

Henry Shea is on the sick list.

Mrs. F. O. Dickey and son have returned from a visit in Minonk.

Lawrence McDonald is home from a trip to Canada, where he visited

DIXON HIGH QUINTET ENTERED IN TOURNEY

LOCAL BASKETBALL TEAM WILL CONTEST IN ROCKFORD MEETING.

The Dixon high school basketball five will be one of the contesting aggregations in the Northwestern Illinois tournament at Rockford in February, which will be held under the auspices of the state high school athletic association. The decision to enter the team in the tournament was reached at a meeting of the athletic board Monday evening and the entry has been forwarded. The Dixon team made a great showing in last year's tourney and their entry this year will arouse considerable interest throughout the northern section of the state.

his sons.

Miss Nell Hogan spent Friday in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Pyle spent a few days at the home of Frank Lener before returning to their home in Pawpaw.

Miss Irene Wooster is attending Brown's business college in Sterling.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Lally of Marathop, Ia., Jan. 5. Mrs. Lally was formerly Miss Belle Powell of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gipson and son, L. Winters and William Remberg are visiting in Florida.

James Antoine is attending college in LaSalle.

The children of Homer Rosier who have been ill for some time resumed their school work today.

Miss Florence Metcalf of Walnut was a recent visitor at the M. McGowan home.

Misses Otilla and Marie Weiser have returned to Hinsdale after a few weeks' vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Weiser.

Charles Ray who is working at the Neola elevator spent a few days with his family in Graymont.

Mrs. S. D. Thompson is visiting relatives in Yorkville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jenkins have returned from a trip to Kankakee.

Miss Hazel Hargitt of Normal is a guest at the home of her brother, Percy Hargitt.

Mrs. W. C. Smith is in Sonoma, helping care for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Henry Smith, who is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. L. Hegert was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Dwight Mellen in Chicago last week.

Miss Mabel Barlow has been entertaining Miss Farquhar of Rockford.

Miss Elizabeth Burns is now employed at the Canavan store.

W. A. Green is in Florida on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Keefer have returned home from a visit on the Pacific coast.

Mrs. Elmer Butler spent Friday in Dixon.

Among those from out of town who attended the funeral of Franklin Underwood today were: Mr. and Mrs. James Lavell and son, Mr. and

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Mrs. Peter O'Rourke and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Goodwin of Freeport; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Underwood of Waterloo, Ia.; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Underwood of Kentucky.

T. J. Lyons is moving his household goods to O. Gillette bungalow today. A. S. Berry will occupy the house on Plant street which he is vacating.

O. Bergmeir and family of Freeport expect to move to this city soon and will occupy the Miss Mary McGee house on Jones street.

F. B. McCreary who has been assisting in the Boynton-Richards store, expects to leave Amboy soon, having secured another position.

Dwight Mynard is attending Brown's business college in Sterling.

Word has been received in Amboy of the death of John Hayden of Bloomington, which occurred Jan. 9. The funeral party arrived in Amboy on 4:47 train, Jan. 11, going directly to St. Patrick's cemetery where short services were held. Mr. Hayden and family resided in Amboy a number of years ago, where he was a faithful employee of the Illinois Central.

Mrs. Ziegler of Pennsylvania is visiting at the home Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Ziegler.

Miss Rachel Entorf of Sterling spent Sunday at the home in this city.

Miss Barbara Meurer is employed in the Gunning store.

ELKS' SHOW REHEARSAL.

Another very important rehearsal of the Elks' charity show will be held at the club at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

IS IMPROVING

George Stitzel, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Stitzel of this city, who has been seriously ill, is reported much better today.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER.

Frank D. Lease to C. W. and Ruth L. Hamilton, qcd \$700, pt nwq neq 20, Nelson.

WOLF VS KOLLN THIS EVENING

Wrestling Fans Will Be Well Entertained at Moose Hall.

Dan Wolf of this city and Henry Kolln of McCausland, Ia., who furnished Dixon wrestling fans with a great exhibition of the mat sport some time ago, in which the local boy was winner, will meet in a return match at Moose hall this evening. This evening's match was granted by Wolf when his Iowa opponent pleaded that he was not in condition at the time of the last meeting and was not satisfied that Wolf was the better man. A preliminary between two local boys will be staged.

Mrs. William Leslie returned Friday from a visit in Tipton, Ia.

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Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Tuesday
N. D. Chautauqua Circle—Mrs. M. H. Vail
Mrs. Watson's Section M. E. Aid—Mrs. J. H. Leake
G. A. installation practice—G. A. R. hall

Wednesday
G. A. R. Circle Sewing Bee—Mrs. Hannah Chronister
Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary all day meeting—Y. M. C. A.
W. R. P. C. club—Mrs. George Schmidt
Palmyra Mutual Aid—Miss Eva Lawton
M. E. Home Missionary—Mrs. E. E. Wingert

Thursday
Dorcas society—Mrs. Jennie Franks
Thursday Reading Circle—Mesdames Parks and Read
St. Paul's Missionary—Mrs. Owen Clymer
Laf-a-lot club—Miss Myra Johnson
Kingdom Bend Aid—Mrs. Joseph Atkinson
St. James Missionary—Mrs. A. Sauer
Royal Neighbors—Miller hall
W. C. O. F.—K. C. hall
G. A. R. Circle installation—G. A. R. hall

Friday
Card party—Masonic hall
Mystic Workers—Socialist hall
Rebekah lodge—I. O. O. F. hall

Dinner Guests
Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Rowland and Mrs. Henry Fisel of Dixon Miss Edna Fisel of Nelson, and Miss Mary Wolfe of the Kingdom were entertained at dinner Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lehman of N. Dixon.

From Freeport
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Becker were here from Freeport Sunday and were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kerz.

Entertained at Dinner
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Duis delightfully at dinner Sunday Misses Mollie and Agnes Tague.

HAIR COMING OUT?
Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After a few applications the hair stops coming out and you can't find any dandruff.

Damaged Goods Wednesday, Family. 45

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Patriotic Orders Install Officers

The joint installation of the G. A. R., Post 299 and the W. R. C. No. 218 was held last evening in the Grand Army rooms. There was a large crowd of Corps members, Post members and friends present to witness the work.

The Post held its installation first. Commander Johnson opened the meeting and then surrendered his chair to the installing officer of the evening, Comrade J. M. Meyers, of the Henry Hiller post, No. 268, of Foreston, Ill. Comrade Meyers was assisted by Comrade Cook as officer of the day. Officers installed were:

Commander—C. W. Johnson
Senior Vice Commander—L. W. Mitchell
Junior Vice Commander—Henry Squier
Surgeon—A. Gall
Chaplain—S. Hoon
Officer of the Day—H. J. Cook
Officer of the Guard—J. T. Reed
Quartermaster—S. W. Youngman
Quartermaster Sergeant—Geo. L. Richardson
Patriotic Instructor—L. W. Mitchell
Adjutant—C. W. Day

When the Post finished its work the chairs were surrendered to the members of the W. R. C. Mrs. Nell Eastman, president of the Corps, called the meeting to order and then surrendered the chair to Mrs. L. W. Mitchell, who acted as installing officer of the evening. She was assisted by Mrs. Ethel Brookner as conductor. The following officers were installed:

President—Mrs. Nellie Eastman
Senior Vice President—Mrs. Clara Alderfer
Junior Vice President—Mrs. Hattie Wise
Chaplain—Mrs. Nancy Prescott
Treasurer—Mrs. Bertie McKenney
Guard—Mrs. Mary Ruppert
Conductor—Mrs. Maude Simonson
Secretary—Maria Stackpole
Patriotic Instructor—Addie Moss-holder
Press Correspondent—Carrie Pearce
Musician—Allie Read
Assistant Conductor—Catherine Greig
Assistant Guard—Emma Kested
Color Bearers—Ella Smith, Frances Dautler, Maude Hobbs and Charlotte Thomas.

Following the installation short talks were given by the visitors from Sterling: Mrs. Cole, president of the Sterling corps; Comrade Kennedy and wife; Mrs. McKee, the retiring president of the Sterling corps; Mrs. Beatty of Sterling and also Comrade Gray, commander of the Dixon Post who has not had the pleasure of attending the meetings of the post for some time owing to ill health.

Class Meeting
Miss Bertha Bennett's class of the Methodist church will be entertained in their regular monthly meeting this evening at the home of Miss Louise Smith.

MOTHER! DON'T TAKE CHANCES IF CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

If cross, feverish, sick, bilious, clean little liver and bowels.

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold, or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness. Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Quickest, Surest Cough Remedy is Home-Made

Easily Prepared in a Few Minutes. Cheap but Unequaled

Some people are constantly annoyed from one year's end to the other with a persistent bronchial cough, which is wholly unnecessary. Here is a home-made remedy that gets right at the cause and will make you wonder what became of it. G + 2½ ounces Pinex (50 cents worth) from any druggist, pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Start taking it at once. Gradually but surely you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether, thus ending a cough that you never thought would end. It also loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals the inflammation in a painful cough with remarkable rapidity. Ordinary coughs are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Nothing better for bronchitis, winter colds and bronchial asthma.

This Pinex and Sugar Syrup mixture makes a full pint—enough to last a family a long time—at a cost of only 54 cents. Keeps perfectly and tastes pleasant. Easily prepared. Full directions with Pinex.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, rich in quaiacal, and is famous the world over for its ease, certainty and promptness in overcoming bad coughs, chest and throat colds.

Get the genuine. Ask your druggist for "2½ ounces Pinex," and do not accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Palmyra Aid Society

The Palmyra Aid society will hold an all day meeting tomorrow at the home of Miss Eva Lawton. Those having friends who wish to attend will take the 10:30 o'clock interurban and will be met at Drew's Corners by autos.

Entertained at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winebrunner delightfully entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Court, right, and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robbins.

Dorcas Society

The Dorcas society of the Congregational church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jennie Franks. The election of officers will take place at this meeting and a large attendance is desired.

Golden Rule Class

The members of the Golden Rule Sunday school class of St. Paul's Lutheran church were delightfully entertained last evening at the home of Miss Henrietta Florshuetz, of 301 Lincolnway. The evening was spent in doing fancy work and social chatter. After a social hour light refreshments were served by the hostess.

Laf-a-lot Club

The members of the Laf-a-lot club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Myra Johnson of Palmyra.

To Visit in Chicago

Mrs. Jason Duis will go to Chicago Thursday where she will visit a week with friends. She will be the guest of Mrs. John Dolan and Mrs. Fred Leababard.

S. F. O. Club Met

Miss Ruth Chiverton delightfully entertained the S. F. O. club at her home this afternoon.

Miss Roe Entertained

Miss Winifred Roe was hostess to several young friends at dinner at the Nachusa Tavern Monday evening her mother, Mrs. H. A. Roe chaperoning the party, which afterwards attended the theater. The guests were: Misses Leona Durkes, Katherine Owens, Emma LeSage and Mary Hussey.

M. E. Missionary Society

The Home Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. E. E. Wingert 608 N. Dixon avenue. Mrs. John Sterling will have charge of the study lesson, entitled, "The Making of the Nation." A large attendance is desired.

P. E. O. Club

The regular meeting of Chapter A. C. Illinois P. E. O. club was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mark Keller.

A. W. A. Club

The members of the A. W. A. club were entertained last evening at the home of Mrs. Bert Smice with a large attendance present. The evening was pleasantly spent in playing progressive euchre. The next meeting will be in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Clarence Wilson of Dixon avenue.

Peoria Ave. Club

The members of the Peoria Avenue Reading club were entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. G. Smith and a very interesting meeting was held. Miss Anna Geisenheimer favored the club with an interesting talk and Mrs. Tribou read an article on the Trade Between the United States and South America which was very well liked by all. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Tribou.

Returned to Freeport
Mrs. C. V. Marker of Freeport, who has been a week on a guest at the Philip Kerz home in this city returned to her home this morning.

Birthday Party
A few friends not over a thousand miles away, planned a serenade for Charles Throop of Grand Detour Saturday evening, while Mrs. Throop was at their service to arrange systematically all things belonging to a birthday celebration.

As the time drew near, all was quiet. Charles sat by the fireside enjoying his evening paper when he was completely overwhelmed on hearing low and sweet tenor voices from outside singing "An Old English Lullaby." After the second lullaby, "Birds in the Night" the happy songsters were ushered in and Charles was showered with flowers and felicitations. Hot chocolate and Vienna coffee were soon steaming. No time was lost in arranging the refreshments and decorations which were most lovely.

On the high mantle above the old fireplace stood a seven branched candleabra which was lighted. Other candles were placed on the pedestals below. Then came the huge birthday cake in allits glitter which towered in the center of the table. The candle holders were little white doves with outstretched wings. Doves were also used to hold the tiny gilt edged place cards. At each place stood a glass tulip in rainbow colors, which when lighted was a Forget-me-not dream.

Refreshments were announced, and, on observing the doves so artistically arranged, the old song, "Oh Fair Dove Oh, Fond Dove," was beautifully rendered by the boys. On a small table were French and English snapping mottoes. One French motto was a flower pot of twelve tulips, each tulip containing a hat for the boys. Other mottoes contained interesting snuffgoggle souvenirs and appropriate verses, causing endless amusement and merriment. The songsters remained until the wee hours when they departed wishing Charles happy returns of the day. With a farewell song, "Sleep, Little Tulip," their voices drifted away "Off in the Silly Night." Contributed.

Surprise Party.
The home of Miss Edna Nowell of 1604 West Third street, was the scene of a very pleasant gathering last evening when about twenty girl friends of Miss Nowell assembled and surprised her. At 7 o'clock a sumptuous oyster supper was served. The occasion was in honor of Miss Nowell, former fore woman at the Brown Shoe company, who resigned a few weeks ago. The evening was spent in a very pleasant way, music and readings being enjoyed. Mrs. Winnifred Frye, in behalf of the girls, presented Miss Nowell with a beautiful cameo ring, as a token of the esteem in which she is held, to which Miss Nowell responded with a few words of thanks, after which the guests departed for their homes.

At Thompson Home
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stevens of Joliet, Ill., were guests over Sunday at the R. W. Thompson home.

At Dinner
Mrs. Louise Steel and Mrs. Herbert Martin at dinner Sunday at the Nachusa Tavern.

HERE'S NEW VIGOR FOR OVERWORKED STOMACH

Rowland Bros., the popular druggists, have been in the drug business long enough to have their own opinion on the best way of selling medicines. They say the plan adopted by Mi-o-na, the great dyspepsia remedy, is the fairest they have ever heard of. They don't believe that a medicine ought to be paid for unless it does the user some good. And Mi-o-na is sold under a positive guarantee to relieve dyspepsia or to refund the money. You simply leave 50 cents on deposit with Rowland Bros. and if you have used the box of Mi-o-na you decide that it has done you no good, all you have to do is to tell them so and they will refund your money.

Hundreds of people have been relieved of stomach agonies by using this remarkable remedy. It is not simply a food digester; it is a medicine that puts all of the digestive organs into normal condition and gives ruddy, glowing, vigorous health. A change for the better will be seen after the first few doses of Mi-o-na and its continued use will soon give the power to eat anything at any time and not suffer distress afterward. Use Mi-o-na and see how much good there is in it.

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Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. "Pape's Diapiesin" is quick, positive and puts your stomach in a healthy condition so the misery won't come back.

You feel different as soon as "Pape's Diapiesin" comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made, by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.

Parlor Club
The members of the O. E. S. Parlor club will hold a card party Friday evening, Jan. 14th at Masonic hall. All members of the order and their families and Eastern Stars and their families are invited.

Queen Esthers Entertained
The young ladies of the Queen Esther Society of the Methodist church were delightfully entertained last evening at the home of Miss Myrtle Anderson. The devotionals were in charge of Charles' Hintz, and Miss Florence Williams had charge of the study chapter. The evening was spent in a delightful manner, Miss Goldie Rice favoring with a piano solo, and Miss Myrtle Anderson with a vocal solo. After a social hour was enjoyed, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

BALLOT CHANGE IS SHUNNED

Gov. Dunne Ignores Shorter Form in Special Message.
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 11.—Governor Dunne said nothing in his special message to the legislature concerning the proposal for a separate ballot for Cook county candidates in the presidential primaries and election. The governor after considering the matter, decided that although a shorter ballot is desirable, it would be bad policy for him even to discuss it, let alone recommend it.

KILLS COUSIN WITH KNIFE DURING CHURCH

Bob Ping Slays Relative in Fight at Services.

Casey, Ill., Jan. 11.—A fatal encounter between two cousins took place at Hickory church, seven miles south of Casey during church services, when Bob Ping, aged eighteen, slasher Orval Nisley, twenty-one, with a knife, severing the jugular vein. Death followed near midnight. Ping at once fled on horseback, leaving his own horse and buggy behind. He has not been captured. Both boys were single.

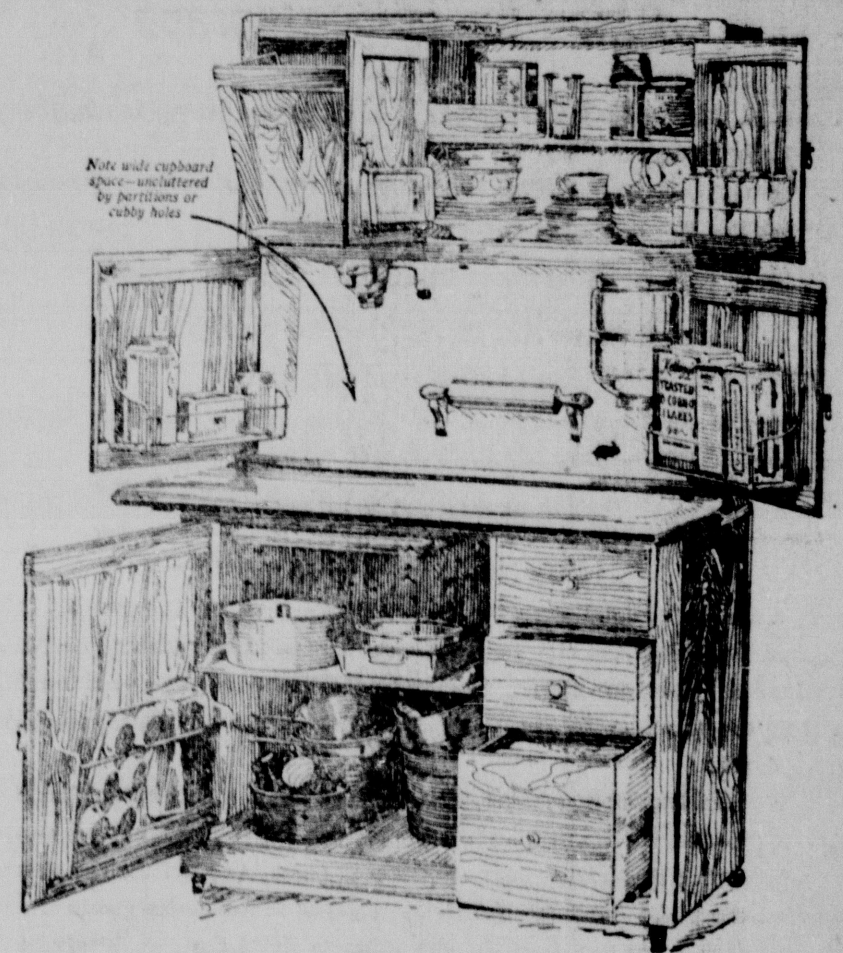
NIP PLOT TO KIDNAP DRYS

Peoria Police Prevent Consummation of Conspiracy Against A. B. McCoid.
Peoria, Ill., Jan. 11.—Police have frustrated for the present at least, a plot to kidnap Arthur B. McCoid, a Chicago lawyer, and Rev. Clement G. Clark, head of the Law Enforcement league.

Both are active in opposing Sunday saloons here. A police guard has been furnished each of the "dry" workers.

Spendsrift at 70 Is Charge.
Potomac, Ill., Jan. 11.—Declaring that Mrs. Arminia Goodwine, seventy years old, widow of John Goodwine, who owned 6,000 acres of choice farm land near Potomac, is a spendthrift, relatives have petitioned the county court to appoint a conservator for her.

Adjusted—But Somewhere Else.
Steward, Ill., Jan. 11.—John Ness, forty-five years of age, a farmer, climbed to the top of a windmill tower to adjust some wires. A heavy gust of wind came, he lost his balance, and, falling to the ground, was killed.



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Will the "Hoosier" beat the Doctor?

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MILLER IN CHICAGO AFTER JOKES Too Late To Classify

Coming Elks' Minstrels Get Notice in Chicago Tribune.

Chicago Tribune: Ward Miller, former Cub, but now one of Fielder Jones' St. Louis players, dropped into Weeghman's office yesterday. Miller didn't come to find out if he would be sure of a job on the new St. Louis team. It is about time for the annual Elks' minstrels at his home, Dixon, Ill., and Ward was making his annual visit to Chicago to get a collection of jokes.

Damaged Goods Wednesday, Family 45
C. F. Dewey was here from Amboy yesterday.

Reuben Yoder of Palmyra was in Dixon today.
Harold Jeanguenot of the Bend was a shopper in Dixon today.

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CORNER POLES ARE VALUABLE.

We believe that the motorists of Dixon appreciate the fact that the big colored poles that the city officials have erected in the center of the intersections of important streets are a splendid improvement and if maintained will be the means of saving many a car from accident and probably people from death.

We could speak of several accidents that come to mind that would never have happened if the posts had been in these places last summer, supposing of course, that the drivers paid attention to them. And even if the driver had ignored the post—cut behind instead of going around—he would then have been in such a position that the city officials could have definitely fixed the blame.

Within the past few days several of the intersection posts have been stolen. Whether the thief was so poor that he had to have fire wood, or whether it was some smart yep with only about a half a spoonful of brains who thought he was doing a very smart trick, it hard to say, but our advice to the city commissioners is to offer a reward of \$25 for information leading to the arrest of the guilty party or parties. Make it a standing offer. And when the city officials get the offender they should not let him off with a fine. He is a thief and deserves to be jailed. It is not because the posts are valuable as far as cost is concerned, but it is the idea that the posts are put there to regulate traffic, to save property and to save lives, and that in such capacity these posts are worth most any figure you want to put on them. That is why it riles one to hear that some one has been so low as to steal them. The person who would take one of those posts is on a par with the man who leaves the top off the cistern hoping his old mother would fall in.

We hope to see the city officials take drastic action in the matter of the theft of these traffic posts and hope they will make things so warm for the vandals who took the posts that no more will be removed.

TAKE CARE OF YOUR EYES.

Sight being quite as valuable as life itself, the admonition would seem to be unnecessary that the eyes should be scrupulously cared for. Yet, as a matter of fact, the waiting rooms of city and country oculists alike, are crowded, day after day and week after week, by people who have been criminally negligent of their eyes. Reading too fine print, unlearned and often on glossy paper, is responsible for much of the mischief. Poor illumination is another destructive agency. Over indulgence in tobacco or alcohol and reading too soon after recovery from an acute illness, play also a part in throwing away the sight. One of the least excusable of agencies is the use of proprietary nostrums, both made and sold by men who know but little or nothing about the eye and, in addition, never examined the eyes of the individual patient. These nostrums are generally advertised as "great discoveries" but consist of substances well known to educated oculists and which are useful or harmful according to whether the person who employs them does or does not understand the diseases of the eye and the effects of medicine thereon in all their varying stages. Spectacles, too, are bought by many people who should know better, of quacks whose only education consists of a six weeks' correspondence course under the ignorant auspices of a diploma mill. The deplorable results are seen by educated oculists daily. The eye is, in fact, so valuable an organ, and is so frequently diseased in its deeper parts while externally it seems to be absolutely sound, and, furthermore, is so frequently affected by the diseases of various other portions of the body, that no one should be entrusted either with its treatment or with its fitting by means of lenses, save those who have properly graduated from a first class medical college and afterwards, have made a long, careful and scientific study of this priceless organ.

HENRY C. FRICK A BENEFACTOR.

It was a good hearted and also thoroughly practical spirit of benevolence that entered into Henry C. Frick's act on Christmas Eve when he announced that he would make himself responsible for the amounts of money due to the school children of Pittsburgh whose little deposits in the broken Savings Fund which had suspended a day or two before, aggregated \$169,000.

The total was not large for him, and it has been exceeded many times by the great philanthropic gifts of multi-millionaires. But it was in the timeliness of the benefaction and in the happiness and good cheer which it served to spread among a vast number of boys and girls, estimated at more than forty thousand, that the act was notable in its sense and its sympathy.

Probably no man in the United States has ever had more children bless him for a single act—an act by which in 24 hours the sorrow of a multitude of them was turned into gladness—than Mr. Frick has just had. It was a capital thing to do at the moment when he did it, and altogether aside from its sentimental effect it has doubtless restored the faith of many a little Pittsburgher in the big grown-ups and in the habit of learning how to save. —Philadelphia Bulletin.

RULE OR RUIN, SAY MOOSERS.

The Moosers hope to stampede the republican convention to Roosevelt and nominate him on the G. O. P. ticket for president, but if they don't do that, they are all ready to hold a convention of their own and nominate him on their own ticket, all of which shows just what kind of a bunch they are. They have even engaged halls and rooms, etc., in Chicago for their convention. They will come to the republican convention, disguised as republicans, we presume, and will try to run that convention. If the republicans have enough back-bone to run their own convention and the Moosers can't run the show, they will get mad and won't play with us any more and will go and have a show of their own. The 1912 idea of "rule or ruin" seems still to be uppermost in Col. Roosevelt's mind.

What was the old-fashioned adage about "Don't lose your grip"? We wish we could.

Daddy's Bedtime

Story—What the Kind Lady Does For Children Of the Northland.



The Kind Lady Taught Them to Weave.

IF Evelyn will stop rustling and if Jack won't blow his nose any oftener than necessary I will tell them a story of the northland," said daddy. So the children snuggled down, quiet as mice. "Far up beyond where the United States ends lies a bleak, cold sea-shore called Labrador. All but three months of the year this land is frozen. When little children peek out of their windows at Jack Frost they see almost no sunshine, but cold gray mist clouds and a long white ice line that means the Atlantic ocean has closed its waters to their fathers' fishing boats. All this long winter few ships come, bringing food and wool and playthings, and hundreds of children can't run outdoors to build snow men and forts or snowball each other the way you children can."

"What do they do, daddy?" Jack wanted to know. "Stir in the house, far from newspapers and books, kept by the cold from going to visit each other, unable to send their fishing boats through the ice banks, even the parents of these shut in children got very sad and dull. They did not have enough interesting things to think and do, you see. Well, this dreary state of living went on years and years till one day about ten years ago a very kind lady went up to Labrador with her kind mind all made up to teach these frozen-in people how to braid mats and make rugs and sew, very much the way you children are taught in the kindergarten."

"Oh, tell us the lady, daddy?" cried the children. "Her name is Miss Jessie Luther," said daddy, "and she worked and worked to help these cold folks, till now they love her very dearly. All through the short summer she works, helping them dig roots and chop barks to dye wool pretty colors for the blankets and rugs. Then she works helping them get looms to weave these rugs on. Then she works some more, teaching rather stiff fingers how to make beautiful garments of the skins of seals the children's fathers catch in the bays. Then she works training two blind men how to make lace and baskets, which she sells for them. For years the Labrador fathers had trapped rabbits to feed their families, but they always threw away the skins. So this kind lady taught them how to dry the skins, cut them in strips and weave them into beautiful wool rugs to wrap the little Eskimo babies in. So now in Labrador it's just like—
Bye, Baby Bunting,
Daddy's gone a-bunting
To get a little rabbit skin
To wrap the Baby Bunting in."

City In Brief

—Send your live stock to Shannon Bros. & Co., Union Stock Yards, Chicago. 253tf

—Damaged Goods Wednesday, Family 45

—For expert piano tuning, leave orders at Strong's Music College.

—George Null and wife arrived home Sunday from a trip to Maryland, called by the death of Mrs. Neull's father, Henry Herbst of Natchasa.

—George Emerson was a visitor in this city yesterday from Oregon.

—Miss Sue Steel left on an early morning train for Racine, Wis.

—Douglas Harvey left last evening on a business trip to Cleveland, O.

—C. V. Chapman went to Madison, Wis., this morning on business.

—Mrs. Percy Schroeder left this morning for her home in Racine, Wis., after a visit here with her parents, Attorney C. B. Morrison and wife. Her mother accompanied her as far as Chicago.

—Mrs. Edward Cohen of Chicago is here on a visit with her sister, Mrs. Jacob Egler on Second street for a few days.

—John P. Schafer and Aadm Schaffer, prominent Bradford township men, were in Dixon Monday to attend to their duties on the Grand jury.

—H. A. Roe and wife spent Sunday afternoon with relatives in Franklin Grove.

Buckwheat Cakes

Raised without Yeast

When they are just right, the old fashioned yeast-raised buckwheat cakes are just fine. But it takes a skillful hand to get them "just right" and many housewives do not want to be bothered with a bowl of batter standing around all the time. Made after this recipe, buckwheat cakes are as any you ever ate and much superior to those made with self-raising flour.

Made with K C double raise baking powder, the last of the batter will make just as light cakes as the first.

K C Buckwheat Cakes

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine.

1 cup buckwheat flour; 1 tablespoonful sugar; 5 level teaspoonfuls K C Baking Powder; 1 1/2 cups cold water; 1/4 teaspoonful salt.



Sift together, three times, the flour, sugar, salt and baking powder; stir the water in all at once and bake on a hot, well oiled griddle. Buckwheat flour calls for a generous measure of baking powder. Part milk may be used to mix the cakes but water gives quite as good results.

A delicious "spread" for griddle cakes is made by creaming together about twice as much honey (either comb or strained) as butter. Work it up with a fork to about the consistency of hard sauce.

Readers of this paper may obtain "The Cook's Book" containing this and 89 other delicious recipes free by sending the colored certificate packed in every 25-cent can of K C Baking Powder to the Jacques Mfg. Co., Chicago. Send for "The Cook's Book" today.

FAMILY THEATRE

....TOMORROW....

"For the sin which ye do by two and two, Ye must answer for one by one."

The awful results of moral impurity vividly pictured in

Damaged Goods

Graphic portrayal of the physical ruin that follows in the wake of those who tread the flowery path of worldly pleasures.

Sheds a great awakening light on the human race!

A Triumph of Motion Picture Realism In Seven Powerful Acts

Richard Bennett—star of the original production, and his company of Broadway Stars interpret this superb sociological drama.

Show Starts at 10 o'clock Wednesday Morning and Runs Continuously Until Thursday Morning. Admission 25c.

MCGINTY FUNERAL TOMORROW

Services Will Be Held From Home of Sister at 10 A. M.

The remains of William McGinty were brought to Dixon this morning on the 11:15 o'clock train from Minneapolis and were taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Henry Bohlwen, west of this city. The funeral will be held Wednesday at 10 a. m. from St. Patrick's church with interment at Oakwood cemetery. Mr. McGinty formerly resided in Dixon and left here a few years ago, going to Minneapolis.

ELKS HEARD OF BIG BROTHERS

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a friendless boy upon the streets of our cities, the social problems of the succeeding generations will be very well taken care of and we will have, beside the satisfaction of seeing the moulding of that boy's destiny, the knowledge that honest, good and upright men will follow us.

And today upon the heart and mind of every good Elk who heard this plea for our friendless and neglected boys is graven the characters representing the sublimity of all emotions "Charity."

THIS DAY IN ILLINOIS HISTORY

Jan. 11, 1805—The territory of Michigan was separated from Indiana territory, then comprising Indiana and Illinois.

Rev. Olin Shaw went to Des Moines, Ia., Sunday evening to look after his land interests. A sale will be held on his farm near that city to day.

Mrs. Ira Lewis, who has been ill with the grip is able to be about again.

Men's and Boys'

Annual Mid-Winter Clearing Sale

Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Furnishings.



\$1.15 Shirt Sale

Manhattan and Emery \$1.50, \$2 \$2.50, \$3.00

SHIRTS----\$1.15

30 dozen Manhattan and Emery [Shirts of which sizes and lots are broken, including the very finest percales, madras flannels and mercerized fabrics, soft cuffs laundered or pleated bosoms, sizes ranging from 13 1-2 to 18, and formerly sold from \$1.50 to \$3.50---\$1.15.

Manhattan and Emery Shirts in Full Range of Unbroken Patterns and Sizes at the Following Reductions.

\$1.00 and \$1.25 percales	85c
\$2.00 madras and mercerized cloth, soft and laundered cuffs	\$1.55
\$2.50 shirts, manhattans, best madras fabrics	\$1.85
\$3.00 mercerized and silk fabrics, soft cuffs	\$2.40
\$3.50 pure silk and silk and linen shirts	\$2.80
\$4.00 and \$4.50 pure silk and silk and linen Shirts	\$3.15

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Look for the Sign.

Peoria Life Insurance Company and Its Special CONTRACTS

Have you seen our new policy? We are pleased to announce at the beginning of the new year that we are offering an entirely new contract known as

The Total Abstainers Endowment Option Policy
Issued only to total abstainers. This is a special dividend bearing policy, twenty payment life with premium rates

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It will be to your interest to see this new contract.

Geo. E. Beede Dixon Agent
Peoria Life Insurance Co.
108 Jordan Bldg. Dixon, Ill.

AMBOY RESIDENT IN HIS ETERNAL SLEEP

JAMES M. THOMPSON PASSED TO REST THERE MONDAY NOON.

James M. Thompson died at the home of his son, James S. Thompson, of West Amboy, Monday noon at the advanced age of 90 years, 4 months and 25 days. Mr. Thompson was a native of Ireland and came to Illinois over 50 years ago, living during that time in Amboy.

He was married in 1856 to Esther Anderson and eight children were born to them, four boys and four girls. His wife and five children preceded him in death. He leaves to mourn his departure three sons, James H., Samuel D. and John L., all of Amboy.

Funeral services will be held at the M. E. church Wednesday afternoon, Rev. George officiating. Interment will be made at Prairie Rest cemetery.

HOW TO GET RID OF CHRONIC DANDRUFF

The only sure way to get permanently rid of either oily or dry dandruff is to remove the conditions that cause it and then keep the hair and scalp in a permanent, clean, healthy, vigorous state so dandruff will never return. This beats shampoos or head washes which merely drive away dandruff for a few days at most. Rowland Bros. and a number of other druggists in this vicinity are now strongly recommending a harmless, inexpensive and quick acting preparation called Parisian Sage that they say is guaranteed to act directly on the cause of dandruff and which already has become known far and wide as a safe and efficient treatment which cannot possibly injure hair or scalp.

Here is a test worth trying. Get a package of Parisian Sage. Rub a little of it into the scalp with the finger tips and see for yourself how the dandruff disappears, the hair stops falling out, the itching vanishes, and a new and vigorously healthy appearance comes over the hair. Good looking hair is half the battle in any man or woman's personal appearance and nothing hurts the hair more than dandruff. Try a little Parisian Sage and begin at once to be rid of it.

Dr. F. M. Banker was down from Franklin Grove yesterday morning.

Miss Agnes Bosen of Clinton, Ia., visited in this city Sunday.

Mrs. Beebe and daughter who have been guests at the Peter Wragg home, returned Saturday to their home in Chicago.

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The laxative tablet with the pleasant taste
If you are bilious or constipated
They keep your System as clean as a stone jug rinsed with cold spring water

10¢ 25¢ 50¢

We have the exclusive selling rights for this great laxative. Trial size, 10 cents.
C. M. CAMPBELL & SON
THE REXALL STORE

Dramatic Notes

PRINCESS THEATRE.

Tonight the Princess has on its bill a splendid variety of Mutual pictures including a two reel Centaur feature, "When Avarice Rules," with Margaret Gibson and Capt. Jack Bonivata in the leading roles, a thrilling story of the wilds of Africa. The other pictures are "Fooling Father's Foes," featuring Louise Bates, a comedy full of fun and merriment. The last reel is a Thanhouser drama entitled "The Necklace of Pearls" with Ethele Cooke, Ethel Jewett and Wayne Arey in the leading roles, a wonderful tale of love and adventure splendidly produced by an all star cast of Thanhouser players.

FAMILY THEATRE.

Arthur Donaldson and Beulah Poynter will be seen in "The Hearts of Men," at the Family theatre today. Synopsis:

At Cologne, Germany, two young men, fast friends, work in a perfume factory. One of them, of an inventive turn of mind, perfects the formula for a perfume that he is assured will make them both rich and famous.

The young inventor awakes one morning to find his false friend gone and his precious formula and wallet stolen from his pocket. The thief escapes to Africa, and some years later the inventor follows. Upon his arrival in the United States the inventor obtains work in a large perfume factory, the owner of which is immensely wealthy. Vengeance is still his aim, and he works only to obtain money to pursue the thief.

In the meantime both thief and inventor have married. Unknown to the parents, their children become fast friends at school, and once when the thief's daughter disappears the inventor's son is the one to find her. When the inventor learns his employer's identity he demands all of the fortune made from the perfume. This is refused and a desperate fight follows. The children refuse to be separated by their fathers' troubles, and in the end the men see that the boy and girl love is ripening into an affection that is beyond their control. Their children soften their hardened hearts and the old-time friendship is renewed in the new strength of reparation.

OPERA HOUSE.

The Cornell-Price Players presented the political play, "Sins of the Mothers" to another large audience at the Dixon opera house last night, and gave an excellent performance throughout. The cabaret specialty presented by the quartet between acts, was a decided novelty to Dixon audiences and made a decided hit. Tonight the company will present the western comedy drama entitled "Call of the Woods." There will be a special matinee for ladies only on Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at which time the play, "The Sixth Commandment" will be presented.

For the remainder of the week's engagement the prices have been reduced. Play and vaudeville changed at each performance.

FAMILY THEATRE

Just as the novel "Damaged Goods" was feeble compared to the drama produced on the stage, so is that spoken version feeble when compared to the 7 reel photoplay just released by the Mutual Film Corporation. The lesson that Eugene Brueux teaches, is brought out by the camera in a form so gripping as to make it get at the very heart-strings of the spectator.

Richard Bennett and his co-workers whose far-sight and bravery first brought the story of the ravages of sin to general American attention, posed for this wonderful film and to their exceptionally clever work is added the wizardry of modern camera effects. It might justly carry this motto beneath its title, "The story without a forget." "Damaged Goods" will be shown at the Family on tomorrow from 10 a. m. until Thursday morning.

RAIL WAY STRIKE AFFECTS MANY

Clerks on Big Four Discharged—General Strike Ordered.

(Associated Press)

Kankakee, Ill., Jan. 11.—The discharge of five clerks of the Big Four railroad company here resulted in a strike which it is declared will probably affect 1500 clerks on the system. G. Harris of Indianapolis, chairman of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks ordered the strike.

Damaged Goods Wednesday, Family

BAD STOMACH?

ONE DOSE OF MAYR'S Wonderful Remedy Should Convince You That Your Suffering Is Unnecessary.



A million people, many right in your own locality, have taken Mayr's Wonderful Remedy for Stomach, Liver and Intestinal Ailments, Dyspepsia, Pressure of Gas Around the Heart, Sour Stomach, Distress After Eating, Nervousness, Dizziness, Fainting Spells, Sick Headaches, Constipation, Torpid Liver, etc., and are praising it highly to other sufferers. Get a bottle of your druggist today. This highly successful Remedy has been taken by people in all walks of life, among them Members of Congress, Justices of the Supreme Court, Educators, Lawyers, Merchants, Bankers, Doctors, Druggists, Nurses, Manufacturers, Priests, Ministers, Farmers, with lasting benefit and it should be equally successfully in your case. Send for free valuable booklet on Stomach Ailments to Geo. H. Mayr, Mfg. Chemist, 154-156 Whiting Street, Chicago, Ill.

For sale by druggists everywhere.

KANSAS HEALTHIEST STATE

Death Rate Is 9.8 to 1,000—Prohibition Is One Reason.

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 11.—Kansas, with a rate of 9.8 in each 1,000 population, has the lowest death rate of any state in the union because the people do not drink liquor, because they have money enough to live right and because they have the intelligence to read of the conditions that make for short lives and know how to dodge them.

That is the answer of W. J. V. Deacon, registrar of the Kansas vital statistics bureau, to Samuel L. Rogers, director of the United States bureau of the census. The government official wrote to Mr. Deacon demanding a explanation of why the Kansas death rate happened to be so low.

EXODUS HALTED BY BRITAIN

Ambassador Notifies U. S. Passports Are Barred Men of Military Age.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, notified the state department that his government will issue no more passports to British subjects of military age. All passports issued prior to November 15, 1915, will not be recognized by his government, unless they bear the official O. K. of the British foreign office.

This action, it was presumed at the state department, has been taken to prevent a possible exodus of men because of the conscription bill.

BOMBS FOUND ON JAP LINER

Missiles Were Timed to Explode When Four Hours Out.

San Francisco, Jan. 11.—Two bombs, timed to explode in four hours, were found on the Toyo Kisen Kaisha steamer Shinyo Maru, when she sailed from here Nov. 20 with 224 passengers, according to a letter from Mrs. A. S. Crossfield, wife of a former territorial judge at Manila, P. I., to her daughter, Miss Ruth Crossfield of San Francisco.

Mrs. Crossfield inquired "if any German spies were arrested."

Backers Desert Reform Mavor.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 11.—The Good Government league, which, it is said, paid Frank S. Rawley, \$500 attorney's fee to defend Mayor Gossom against the impeachment charges filed by the city council, has adopted resolutions condemning Gossom for his recent change of front in removing William A. Brandon and the Rev. A. E. Monger from the board of safety and appointing a board that has "tilted the lid."

Samuel Lucas, Actor, Dead.

New York, Jan. 11.—Samuel Lucas, author of the song, "Grandfather's Clock," and known as one of the most original entertainers on the American stage for nearly half a century, died at his home here. He was seventy-five years old.

Try This If You Have Dandruff

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and four ounces is all you will need. This simple remedy has never been known to fail.

POLICE COURT NEWS

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court there were many cases on call Joe Morosi appeared before the court to answer to the charge of disturbing the peace, the charge having been preferred against him by a proprietor of a rooming house in the eastern part of the city. He pleaded guilty, a fine of \$25 and costs was entered against him and as he informed the court that he was "strapped" he will board out the fine in the county jail.

Alex Bondi, whose arrest had been caused by his wife on the charge of assault and battery, was the next case to be taken up. She charged him with having slapped her. The hearing in this case was continued over until next Wednesday, Jan. 19. The case of James Latakos, against whom a warrant had been sworn out some little time ago on the charge of selling liquor without a license, was dismissed this morning as not enough evidence could be secured to hold him.

WILSON CAN'T VISIT ILLINOIS

Preachers Oppose Wine at Lincoln Feast—To Hold Rival Meeting.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 11.—Because of an engagement in Washington on the evening of Feb. 11 President Wilson has informed Governor Dunne that he will be unable to attend the annual Lincoln day banquet in Springfield the evening of Feb. 12.

Governor Dunne had invited the president to attend and news dispatches from Washington several days ago said that Mr. Wilson probably would accept.

Strong College of Music

JANSSEN PIANOS

Time-tried and true, made as good as the best, guaranteed without limit ideal in tone action and finish and will stand up under this most trying condition. These pianos have been sold in Dixon for years and are satisfactory to every everybody but our competitors who will "knock" anything they don't sell.

HOLLAND PIANOS

Beautiful in tone, easy action, finely finished—inside and out, thoroughly built the under management of Geo. H. Norris, the Capitalist who spares neither pains nor expense to make them ideal, and they will last a life-time. Why pay more for pianos not so good?

SMITH & BARNES PIANOS

The old reliable—made for over 30 years—can't wear them out—and sold at reasonable prices.

Why not trade your old silent piano for a HOLLAND PLAYER—that is easy to operate—anybody can play them and you can have music in your home when you want it. You will never tire of a Player Piano—it is an entertainer and educator. Won't cost you much and you will never regret it. Come and hear it and play it.

We carry a full line of pianos and will be glad to see you whether you wish to buy or not.

Strong College of Music

You can afford a new suit now

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For Hart Schaffner & Marx

Better Grade Suits

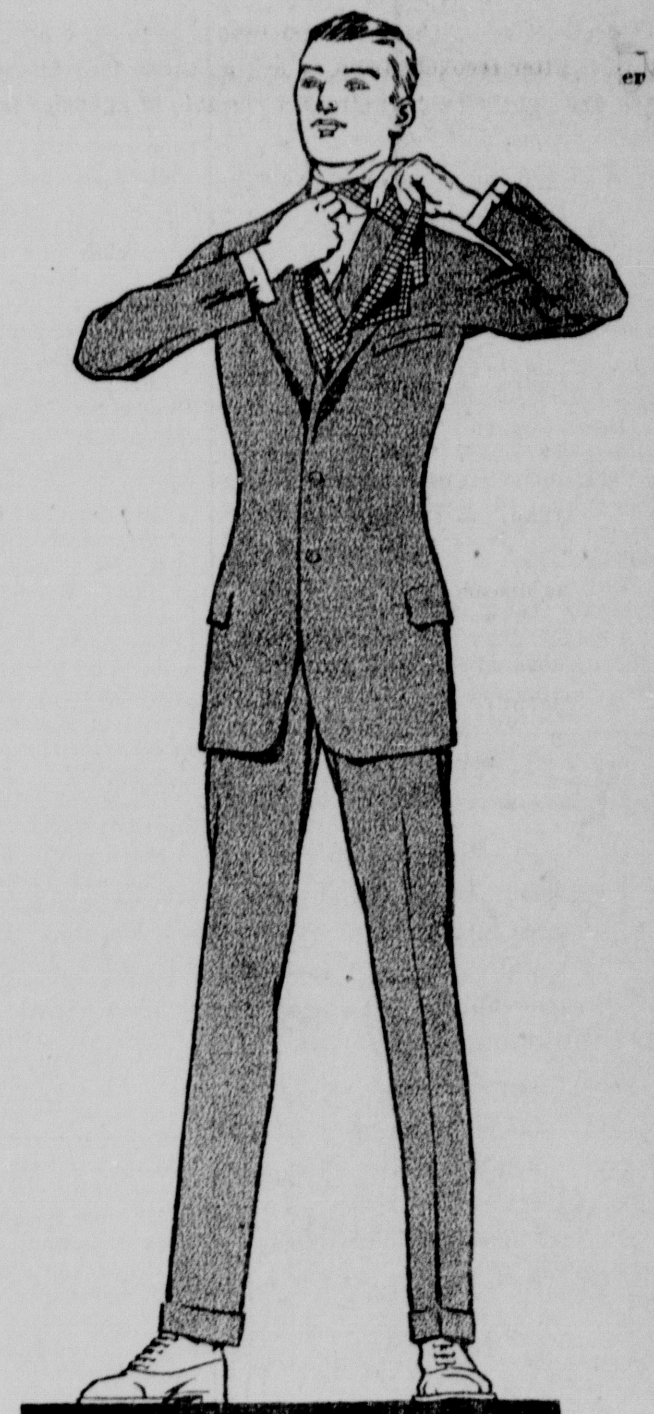
This lot of suits will appeal to you men who are accustomed to \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50, \$30 suits. Wherever a line of sizes of a particular pattern has become incomplete by reason of the early season selling, the remaining sizes have been included in this lot of 100 suits at \$19.00.

The suits are of the \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50 grades and a few of the \$30. In totaling the former selling price and actual present value of these suits we find:

The former Selling Price of these 100 Suits	\$2,392.50
The present Selling Price of these 100 Suits	\$1,900.00
A Saving to the Public of	\$492.50

Will you make a part of this saving?

Another fine line of suits at \$14.75



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This assortment is particularly attractive because of a new lot of Suits that have just been received and included at this price—they were bought to sell for more. Also a great many of our \$18 suits have been placed in this assortment. These are a excellent all wool values, Michaels Stern goods, fully guaranteed.

Make a good investment by buying now at \$14.75.

While you're in, look at the shirt bargains at 69c, the caps at 85c, the boy's suits at \$3.85.

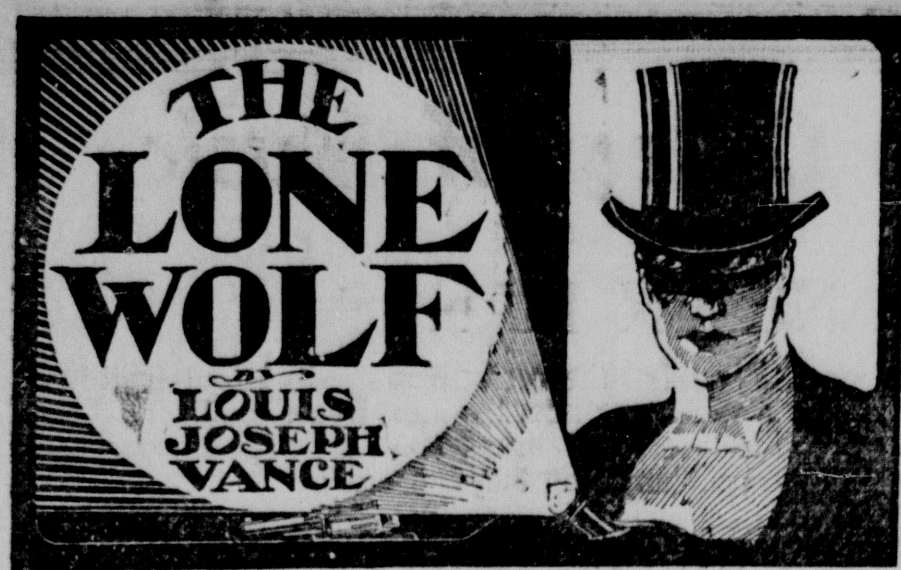
A visit to our store now will be thoroughly profitable to you.



Boynton-Richards Co.

"The Standardized Store"





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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—At Troyon's, a Paris inn, the South Marcell Troyon, afterwards to be known as Michael Lanyard, is caught stealing by Burke, an expert thief, who takes the boy with him to America and makes of him a finished crackman.

CHAPTER II—After stealing the Ombre jewels and the Huysman war plans in London Lanyard returns to Troyon's for the first time in many years because he thinks Roddy, a Scotland Yard man, is on his trail. On arrival he finds Roddy already installed as a guest.

CHAPTER III—At a dinner conversation between Comte de Morbihan, M. Bannan and Mlle. Bannan about the Lone Wolf, a celebrated crackman who works alone, puzzles and alarms him as to whether his identity is only guessed or known.

CHAPTER IV—To satisfy himself that Roddy is not watching him, Lanyard dresses and goes out, leaving Roddy apparently asleep and snoring in the next room, then comes back stealthily, to find a girl in his room.

CHAPTER V—The girl turns out to be Mlle. Bannan, who explains her presence by saying that she was asleep walking.

CHAPTER VI—In his apartment near the Trocadero he finds written on the back of a twenty-pound note, part of his coat of arms, a letter, an invitation from The Pack to the Lone Wolf to join them.

CHAPTER VII—Lanyard attempts to dispose of the Ombre jewels, but finds that The Pack has forbidden the buyers to deal with him. He decides to meet The Pack.

CHAPTER VIII—De Morbihan meets him and takes him before three masked members of The Pack.

CHAPTER IX—He recognizes Popinot, Apache, and Wertheimer, English mobster, but the third an American, is unknown to him. He refuses alliance with them.

CHAPTER X—On his return to his room he is attacked in the dark, but knocks out his assailant.

CHAPTER XI—He gives the unconscious man a hypodermic to keep him quiet. He finds that Roddy has been following him, with the evident intention of framing the crime on him, and changing the appearance of his status to leave the house.

CHAPTER XII—He is followed by three counters, but they leave him alone.

CHAPTER XIII—He is followed by three men, but they leave him alone.

CHAPTER XIV—After sleep Lanyard's appointment changed. He feels as if he would betray me if I whispered even.

CHAPTER XVI.

Decision.

"Poor child!" he heard himself murmuring—"poor child!"

"Don't pity me!" she insisted, still with face averted. "I don't deserve it. If I had the spirit of a mouse I'd have defied him; it needed only courage enough to whisper one word to the police."

"But who is he, then?" Lanyard demanded. "What is he, I mean?"

"I hardly know how to tell you. And I hardly dare. I feel as if these walls would betray me if I whispered even."



"Don't Pity Me!" She insisted.

But to me he's the incarnation of all things evil."

She shook herself with a nervous laugh.

"But why be silly about it? I don't really know what or who he is. I only suspect and believe that he is a man whose life is devoted to planning evil and ordering its execution through his lieutenants. When the papers at home speak of 'The Man Higher Up' they mean Archer Bannan, though they don't know it—or else I'm merely a hysterical woman exaggerating the impressions of a morbid imagination. And that's all I know of him that matters."

"But why, if you believe this—how did you at length find courage—"

"You," she breathed incredulously—"you mean you're going to stop—"

"I have stopped, Miss Shannon. The Lone Wolf has prowled for the last time. I didn't know it till just now—when I woke up an hour or so ago—but I've turned my last job."

"But why?" she demanded in bewilderment. "But why do you say that? What can have happened to make you—"

"Not fear of that Pack!" he laughed—"not that, I promise you. If I thought Paris too small for them and me I'd never leave it alive!"

"Oh, I know!" she said impatiently—"I know that very well. But still I don't understand."

"If it won't bore you, I'll try to explain." He drew up his chair and sat down again, facing her across the littered table. "I don't suppose you've ever stopped to consider what an essentially stupid animal a crook must be. Most of them are stupid because they practice clumsily one of the most difficult professions imaginable, and inevitably fail at it, yet persist. They wouldn't think of undertaking a difficult piece of engineering without any sort of preparation, but they'll tackle a dangerous proposition in burglary without a thought and pay for failure with years of imprisonment, and once out, try it again. That's one kind of criminal—the ninety-nine-per-cent class—incurably stupid!"

"There's another class, men whose imaginations forewarn them of dangers and whose mental training, technical equipment, and sheer manual dexterity enable them to attack a formidable proposition like a modern safe—by way of illustration—and force its secret. They're the successful criminals, like myself—but they're no less stupid, no less failures than the other ninety-nine in our every hundred, because they never stop to think. It never occurs to them that the same intelligence, applied to any one of the trades they must be masters of, would not only pay them better, but leave them their self-respect and rid them forever of the haunting dread of arrest that dogs us all like the memory of some shameful act. All of which is much more of a lecture than I meant to inflict upon you, Miss Shannon, and sums up to just this: I've stopped to think."

With this he stopped for breath as well and momentarily was silent, his faint, twisted smile testifying to self-consciousness; but presently, seeing that she didn't offer to interrupt, but continued to give him her attention so exclusively that it had the effect of fascination, he stumbled on, at first less confidently.

"When I woke up just now it was as if, without my will, I had been thinking all this out in my sleep. I saw myself for the first time clearly, as I have been ever since I can remember—a crook, thoughtless, vain, rapacious, ruthless, skulking in shadows and thinking myself an amazingly fine fellow because, between crooks, I would play the gentleman a bit, venture into the light, and swagger in the haunts of the respectable. In my poor, perverted brain I believed there was something fine and thrilling and romantic in the career of a great criminal and myself a wonderful figure—an enemy of society—potentially as deadly as a rattlesnake, always ready to kill—if I never did!"

"Why do you say this to me?" she demanded abruptly out of a phase of profound thoughtfulness.

He lifted an apologetic shoulder and laughed with a sheepish air.

"Because, I presume, I'm no longer self-sufficient. I was all of that twenty-four hours ago, but now I'm as lonesome as a lost child in a dark forest. I haven't a friend in the world. I'm like a stray pup, groveling for sympathy. And you—are you—are you—enough to be the only person I can declare myself to. It's going to be a fight—I know that too well—and without something outside myself to struggle toward I'll be heavily handicapped. But if—I faltered, with a look of wistful earnestness—"If I thought that you, perhaps, were a little interested, that I had won your faith and had that to respect and cherish—if I dared hope that you'd be glad to know I had won out against odds—it would mean a great deal to me; it might mean my salvation!"

Watching her narrowly, hanging upon her decision with the anxiety of a man proscribed and hoping against hope for pardon, he saw her eyes cloud and shift from his, her lips parted but hesitant, and before she could speak he hastily interposed:

"Please don't say anything yet. First let me demonstrate my sincerity. So far I've done nothing to persuade you but—talk and talk and talk! But give me half a chance to prove I mean what I say."

"How"—she enunciated only with visible effort and no longer met his appeal with an open countenance—"how can you do that?"

"In the long run, by establishing myself in some honest way of life, however modest; but now, and principally, by making preparation for at least one crime I've committed that's not irreparable."

He caught her quick glance of inquiry and met it with a confident nod as he placed between them the morose-bound jewel case.

"In London, yesterday," he said quietly, "I brought off two big coups. One was deliberate, the other the inspiration of a moment. The one I'd planned for months was the theft of the Ombre jewels—here."

He tapped the case, then resumed in the same manner: "The other—needs a diagram. Not long ago a Frenchman named Huysman, living in Tours, was mysteriously murdered—a poor inventor, who had starved himself to perfect a stabilizer, an attachment for aeroplanes which renders them practically fool-proof. His final trials had created a sensation, and he was on the eve of selling his invention to the government when he was killed and his plans stolen."

"Circumstantial evidence pointed to an international spy named Ekstrom—Adolph Ekstrom, once chief of the aviation corps of the German army, cashiered for general blackguardism—with a suspicion of treason to boot. However, Ekstrom kept under cover, and presently the plans turned up in the German war office. That was a big thing for Germany; already supreme with her dirigibles, the acquisition of the Huysman stabilizer promised her ten years' lead over the world in the field of aeroplanes."

"Now, yesterday, Ekstrom came to the surface in London with those self-same plans to sell to England. Chance threw him my way, and he mistook me for the man he'd expected to meet—Downing street's secret agent. Well—no matter how—I got the plans from him and brought them over with me, meaning to turn them over to France, to whom, by rights, they belong."

"Without consideration?" the girl inquired shrewdly.

"Not exactly. I had meant to make no profit of the affair—I'm a bit squeamish about tainted money—but under present conditions, if France insists on rewarding me with safe conduct out of the country, I shan't refuse it. Do you approve?"

She nodded earnestly. "It would be worse than criminal to return them to Ekstrom."

"That's my view of the matter."

"But these?" The girl rested her hand upon the jewel case.

"Those go back to Mme. Ombre. She has a home here in Paris that I know well. In fact, the sole reason why I didn't steal them here was that she left for England unexpectedly, just as I was all set to strike. Now I purpose to use my knowledge of her house to restore the jewels without risk of falling into the hands of the police. That will be an easy matter. And that brings me to the one great favor I would beg of you."

She gave him a look so unexpected, so kind that it staggered him. But he had himself well in hand.

"You can't leave Paris now before morning—thanks to my having overslept," he continued. "There's no honest way I know to raise money before morning opens the pawnshops. But I'm hoping that won't be necessary; I'm trusting I can arrange matters for us without going to that extreme. Meanwhile—you agree that these jewels must be returned?"

"Of course," she affirmed gently. "Then—will you accompany me when I replace them? There won't be the slightest danger. I promise you that. Indeed, it would be more hazardous for you to wait for me elsewhere while I attended to the matter alone. And I'd like you to be convinced of my sincerity."

"Don't you think you can trust me for that as well?" she asked with a flash of humor.

"Trust you!"

"To believe, Mr. Lanyard," she told him earnestly, "I do believe!"

"You make me very happy," he said—"but I'd like you to see for yourself. And I'd be glad not to have to fret about your safety in my absence. As a bureau of espionage, Popinot's brigade of Apaches are without a peer in Europe. I'm positively afraid to leave you alone."

She was silent.

"Will you come with me, Miss Shannon?"

"That is your sole reason for asking this of me?" she insisted, eyes him steadily.

"That I wish you to believe in me—yes."

"Why?" she pursued, inexorable.

"Because—I've already told you."

"That you want someone's good opinion to cherish. But why, of all people, me—whom you hardly know, of whom what little you do know is hardly reassuring?"

He colored, and boggled his answer. "I can't tell you," he admitted in the end.

"Why can't you tell me?"

He stared at her miserably. "I've no right. In spite of all I've said, in spite of the faith you so generously promise me, in your eyes I must still figure as a thief, a liar, an impostor—self-confessed. Men aren't remade by mere protestations, nor even by their actions."

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Only an instant longer could she

maintain her direct and unflinching look. Then his meaning would no more be ignored. Her lashes fell, a tide of crimson flooded her face, and with a quick movement, pushing her chair a little from the table, she turned away from him. But she said nothing.

He remained as he had been, bending eagerly toward her.

And in the long minute that elapsed before either spoke again, both became oddly conscious of the silence brooding in that lonely little house, of their isolation from the world, of their common peril and mutual dependence.

"I'm afraid," Lanyard said after a time—"I'm afraid I know what you must be thinking. One can't do your intelligence the injustice to imagine you haven't understood me—read all that was in my mind and—his voice fell—"in my heart. I own that I was wrong to speak so transparently, to suggest my regard for you at such a time, under such conditions. I am truly sorry, and beg you to consider

unsaid all that I should not have said. After all, what earthly difference can it make to you if one thief more decides suddenly to reform?"

That brought her abruptly to her feet, showing him a face of glowing loveliness, with eyes distractingly dimmed and softened.

"No!" she implored breathlessly. "Please, you mustn't spoil it! You've paid me the finest of compliments, and one I'm glad and grateful for—and would I might think I deserved! You say you need a year to prove yourself? Then—I've no right to say this—and you must please not ask me what I mean—then I grant you that year. A year I shall wait to hear from you from the day we part, here in Paris. And tonight I will go with you, too, and gladly, since you wish me to!"

And then as he, having risen, stood at loss, thrilled and incredulous, with a brave and generous gesture she offered him her hand, across the table whereon still rested the spoils of his final coup.

"Mr. Lanyard, I promise."

To every woman, even the least lovely, her hour of beauty—it had not entered Lanyard's mind to think this woman beautiful until that moment. Of her exotic charm, of the allure of her pensive, wistful prettiness, he had been well aware, even as he had been unable to deny to himself that he was all for her, that he loved her with all the strength that was his; but not till now had he understood that she was the one woman whose loveliness to him would dim the beauty of all other women.

And for a little, while he held her hand tremulous upon his finger-tips, as though he feared to bruise it with ruder contact, he could not take his eyes from her.

Then reverently he bowed his head and touched his lips to that hand—and felt it snatched swiftly away, and started back, aghast, the idol roughly dissipated, the castle of his dreams tumbling in thunders round his ears.

In the studio skylight overhead a pane of glass had fallen in with a shattering crash as ominous as the tramp of doom.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Roy Myers of Sterling was in Dixon Sunday evening.

Leslie Pankhurst was here Monday from emperance Hill.

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I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of tax collector of Dixon township at the election April 4.
GRACE G. STEEL.

SALE DATES

Jan. 17—Peter Streit, Duroc sow sale, Sublette, Ill. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 19—Sam Eak's & Son, pure bred Duroc sale, Prophetstown, Ill. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 20—Joseph Enichen, closing out sale, 2½ miles east of Dixon George Fruin, Auctioneer.

Wednesday, Jan. 26—Wm. Lelvan, 4 miles west of Dixon on interurban car line; closing out. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 1—H. G. Vogel, Duroc brood sow sale, Benson, Ill. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 2—Ed. Halloran, Duroc brood sow sale, Campus, Ill. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 8—S. H. Patterson at St. James, 4 miles east of Dixon, closing out sale. F. D. Kelly, Auct.

Feb. 10—W. A. Naylor, closing out sale, 2½ miles south of Nachusa, Ill. F. D. Kelly, Auct.

Feb. 14—Charles Sheffer, Public sale, six miles east of Dixon. George Fruin, auctioneer.

Tuesday, Feb. 17—Charles Barton on Asa Judd farm south of city limits, Dixon, Ill., on Peoria road large closing out sale. D. M. Fahrney, Auctioneer.

Jan. 19—Closing out sale, 6 miles southeast of Dixon, 1½ miles northeast of Eldena, on Pat Duffy farm. L. E. Etnyre, F. D. Kelly, Auct.

Monday, Feb. 21—J. U. Weststead, closing out all personal property. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 22—Fred Lord. A Public sale, 2½ miles north of Dixon on the Sterling road. Fruin, auctioneer.

Feb. 23—Percy Fruin, Duroc brood sow sale, Oregon, Ill. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Little Tragedies.

The man struck a match to see if the gasoline tank on his automobile was empty. It wasn't.

No Joke.

"The man who lends coin has his sorrows. For man acts so queer," said Bill Nettles. "He's as meek as a lamb when he borrows. And as cross as a bear when he settles."

Mean Brute!

Which do you consider the unluckiest day of the week on which to get married? ventured Miss Oldgirl. "All of them," replied Mr. Oldbatch.

Dry.

A student rare in Knatz High. He ought to be in college. He reads dry books to satisfy His awful thirst for knowledge.

Paw Knows Everything.

Willie—Paw, what is a brilliant conversationalist? Paw—A man who can say nothing and make it sound interesting, my son.

Same Old Story.

Before he got her, I am told. He thought her hair was waving gold. But later on, when they were wed, He found her hair was flaming red.

C'mon In, Bill!

We suppose Luke McLuke has no room in his Names Is Names club for old Bill Pancake of Lexington, N. C.—Houston Post.

Mercy!

"I can't understand," I heard her sigh. "For every time I pass This dresser I am scolded by The nasty looking glass."

Bethel!

Dear Luke—Can Lamie Lamb, our lunch wagon operator, get into the club?—T. C., Richmond, Ind.

A Fruitful Topio.

He brags about Mr. Pommon; Does pompous Mr. Pommon; It's plain to me his family tree Produced at least one lemon. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

But when his daughter Maude I saw Parading on the beach, 'Twas plain to me that same old tree Produced at least one peach. —Springfield (Mass.) Union.

Should Say Not!

Dear Luke—Can Dr. I. Will Killam of Norfolk, Va., get in as the club's physician?—W. R. R., Norfolk.

Wise Davie.

Do you know Uncle Davie Harp? He may be old, but he is sharp. On Sunday he sits in a nook And all day long reads Luke McLuke. —R. E. F., Lexington, Ky.

Any Other Volunteers?

Hey, Luke, the Chicago Feds are claiming the world's championship. Why doesn't the Names Is Names club do a little claiming? To start a club and claim the pennant the following Cincinnati men will offer their services, and you can find their addresses in the city directory: Byron Pitcher, Clarence Ketcher, Daniel Batter and Ernest Fielder.—Trebmal.

Things to Worry About.

There are 273 warts on an average sized pickle.

Names Is Names.

Tom Sawyer Legge lives at Beaumont, Tex.

Our Daily Special.

Hard luck loves the man who whines.

Luke McLuke Says:

Some people waste a lot of time telling other people not to waste theirs. Many are called, but few get up until they are good and ready.

Some of the June brides are now so certain that they copied out fourflushers, that it wouldn't surprise them a bit if the wedding rings began to leave green marks on their fingers.

The boob doesn't know it. But about the second time he goes out with a girl she is sizing up the houses they pass and figuring which one she will make him rent for her as soon as they are married.

The trouble with being easy going and good natured is that other people want to use you for a door mat.

The fellow who likes to believe that we shall know each other in heaven is often the same man who never recognizes his next door neighbor because he believes that he is better than his neighbor.

Cheer up. If there were no hills on the road the journey would be mighty monotonous.

A stingy man surely likes to work the word economy to death.

There are a whole lot of us who are covered with callouses from not having enough money who would like to take a chance on the troubles supposed to come from having too much money.

The Chinese make New Year's day the day when they pay all of their debts. If we were to select a day on which to pay all of our debts in this country we would probably make the date Feb. 20.

Oh, well, things might be worse. The politicians so far have not accused the other side of starting the war in Europe.

Before he gets her she is one girl in a million. After he gets her he would like to take a chance with any one of the other 999,999.

BY MAIL

The Evening Telegraph is \$3 a year; the Semi-Weekly Telegraph is \$1.50 a year.

ASHTON

Ashton, Jan. 10—There is to be a meeting at the town hall this evening to discuss the sewerage system for the village.

Circuit Clerk E. S. Rosecrans of Dixon was on our streets Saturday visiting friends.

Mrs. Wm. Hart was a visitor at the home of her mother, Mrs. Smith in Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Griffith were passengers to Chicago Thursday morning.

Dr. Murphy of Dixon was a business caller here Saturday morning. Miss Alice Eddy and Misses June and Alpha Attig were visitors in Dixon Presbyterian church yesterday on Saturday.

Ten members were added to the Presbyterian church yesterday morning at the Communion service.

George D. Aydelotte lectured here Saturday evening to a good sized audience in the school auditorium. He lectured on "The Man of the Hour," and his speech was very well liked.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Moore and son Kenneth returned home Saturday afternoon from a two weeks visit with Mr. Moore's parents in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. George Stephan was a visitor in Dixon Saturday.

The following officers were chosen Sunday morning for the Presbyterian Sunday school for the ensuing year:—

Oliver W. Griffith—Superintendent

Albert M. Moore—Secretary
Mrs. Henry Nelson—Assistant Secretary

Emma C. Krug—Treasurer
Minnie Krug—Pianist
Orva Moore—Assistant pianist
Grace Walter Librarian
Maud Anderson—Assistant Librarian

Katharine Griffith—Chorister
Mrs. A. M. Moore—Asst. Chorister

Mrs. Ed Arnold—Home Dept.
Mrs. M. N. Glenn—Cradle Roll

John Charters was a business caller in Chicago Thursday.

Ernest Thomas held a sale at his home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas expect to move to North Dakota where Mr. Thomas will run a garage.

Mrs. Ana McCade of Rockford, Ia., is now located in the home she recently purchased of George Garrett Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chapman will move into the house Ernest Thomas vacates.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Catherine Mossholder, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Catherine Mossholder, Deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon at the March, 1916, Term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 21st day of December, A. D. 1915.

CLINTON E. MOSSHOLDER,
Administrator.

HARRY C. WARNER,
Attorney. 4 11 18

CLOSING OUT SALE.

The undersigned having sold his farm will have a closing out sale at his place of residence on the interurban car line 5 miles west of Dixon and 7 miles east of Sterling on

Wednesday, Jan. 26, 1916

The following described property to wit:

20 Head of Horses and Colts. 1 team of brown mares 2 and 12 years old, 1 in foal, the other a good safe family mare; 1 gray gelding 4 years old, weight 1400; 1 bay gelding 5 years old, weight 1300; 1 span black colts span bay geldings 2 years old, weight 2400; 1 span of bay colts 3 years old, mare and gelding, weight 2400; 1 span of geldings 3 years old, roan and gray, weight 1100 and 1200; 1 bay mare, weight 900; 1 span black mare colts 2 years old, weight 1800; 1 span black 2 years old, mare and gelding, weight 1700; 1 span black geldings 2 years old, weight 1600; 1 span bay gelding 2 years old, weight 1800; 1 bay yearling mare colt. These colts are all first class heavy draft stock.

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Oats	37 39
Corn	40 70
Local Produce quotations.	Pay Sell
Creamery butter	38
Dairy butter	30 34
Lard	10 15
Eggs	32 37
Potatoes	70 99
Spring chickens	16 20
Ducks	18 22
Geese	18 22
Turkeys	25 30
Poultry.	
Light hens	8
Heavy hens	9
Springers	13
Old Toms	10
Indian Runners	8
Young turkeys	15
White ducks	10
Geese	9

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May 124% 126% 123% 126%
July 117% 119% 117% 119%

Corn—
May 78% 79% 78 79%
July 78% 79 78 79

Pork—
Jan 1885 1890 1885 1890
May 1940 1950 1932 1945

Lard—
Jan 1030 1037 1027 1032
May 1052 1060 1050 1055

Ribs—
Jan 1045 1047 1042 1045
May 1082 1087 1077S 1082

Receipts today—
Hogs 34,000.
Cattle 4500.
Sheep 20,000.
Hogs left over 1000.
Hogs open steady at yesterday's average.

Mixed 655a709.
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Rough 650a699.
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Sheep weak.

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Kewanee, Ill., Jan. 11.—Kewanee
had a doubly distinguished bride in
its first leap year wedding. Miss Ma-
zar Solomon Malooley married George
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Fishermen Arrested.

Canton, Ill., Jan. 11.—Liverpool fish-
ermen are charged with violating the
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BRITISH REPORT TIGRIS VICTORY

But Constantinople Claim Turks
Surround Them.

ASSERTS ENEMY LOST 3,000

Turks Say British Force Is In Sore
Straits—British Official Says Otto-
man Troops Are Routed With In-
vadars Pursuing—May Cover Two
Different Battles.

London, Jan. 11.—The Turks in Mes-
opotamia were in full retreat on Jan. 9,
with the British pursuing them. It was
announced in the house of commons
by J. Austen Chamberlain, secretary
for India. There had been heavy fighting
on both banks of the Tigris on
Jan. 7. Mr. Chamberlain said, and the
British had taken two Turkish guns
and 700 prisoners.

Reports at Variance.

Although Berlin reports a British
retreat in Mesopotamia, at variance
with the British announcement that
the Turks are falling back after heavy
fighting, Mr. Chamberlain's statement
to the house of commons does not
disclose the point at which the engage-
ment referred to occurred. It is pos-
sible that this action took place south
of Kut-el-Amara between the Turks
and the main body of the British.

In telling the commons the news of
the British success on the Tigris Mr.
Chamberlain said:

"General Aylmer left Miam Alligra-
bi on Jan. 6 with troops marching to
the relief of Kut-el-Amara. On the
same day General Townshend at Kut
reported that the previous night the
enemy had opened a heavy fire on the
northwest front and on the village op-
posite Kut, but had made no attack.
On the night of Jan. 7 General Aylmer
reported heavy firing on the south
bank of the Tigris.

Capture 700 Turks.

"On the right bank General Camp-
bell's column carried the enemy's po-
sition, taking two guns and 700 prison-
ers, and then intrenched. Meanwhile
the main attack on the left bank was
retarded by an enemy outflanking
movement and General Aylmer reported
that he apparently was opposed by
three Turkish divisions.

"On the evening of Jan. 8 he report-
ed that owing to fatigue the troops
had been unable to make any progress
that day. On the 9th he reported the
enemy in retreat and that he was pur-
suing, but that heavy rains hindered
the pursuit.

"From later telegrams it appears
that the enemy has reached Khorra."

Says British Are in Retreat.

Berlin, Jan. 11.—The British army
at Kut-el-Amara, in Mesopotamia, has
been surrounded by Turks, according
to Constantinople advices given out by
the Overseas News agency. It is said
the Turks have advanced to the main
defenses of the British. The main British
army in Mesopotamia, according
to these reports, is in retreat, 10,000
men having been left at Kut-el-Amara
to cover the movement.

URGES AID TO MONTENEGRO

Italian Press Tells of Dynastic and
Strategic Reasons for Step.

Rome, Jan. 11.—The Italian press is
significantly urging that the govern-
ment assume the control and defense
of Montenegro. Montenegro, they urge,
is dynastically united with Italy
through the Italian queen, who is the
daughter of King Nicholas.

In the second place, they point out
that as Montenegro is now situated
she is threatened by the Austrians
with the loss of Mount Lowcen, which
in Austrian hands would make Cattaro
impregnable and defeat of the Aus-
trian navy on the Adriatic impossible.

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CHANA

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field, Charles Dugdale and Henry
Casper attended the state poultry
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George W. Pentz shipped a car of
hogs to Chicago Thursday evening.

Doctors Johnston and Roe report
much sickness and are very busy.

Mrs. Percy DeLair spent Friday in
Rockford on business.

Miss Bessie Andrews was a passen-
ger to Rockford Friday morning to
spend the day with relatives.

Mrs. Willis and daughter were in
Rockford on Friday consulting a
specialist in regard to her daughter's
eyes.

Mrs. George Clewstone and Miss
Nora Driscoll were in Rockelle
Thursday evening shopping.

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